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PROPERTY BONDS  
REPORTED STOLEN  
WERE SOLD HERE

Part of Missing Securities  
Located in Washington  
\$11,250 Paid for Others  
Impounded in St. Louis.

ARKANSAN IN JAIL  
OVER DISAPPEARANCE

Sentenced for Contempt  
After 3-Year Prison  
Term for Theft at Para-  
gould Is Reversed.

Liberty bonds to the value of \$11,400, declared by an Arkansas man to have been stolen from a safe deposit box, were sold in St. Louis, officers of the United States Treasury have learned. Four \$1,000 bonds, a part of those missing, have been located in the United States Treasury in Washington, and \$11,250 paid for others of the bonds has been impounded here.

The bonds, in the time that they were missing, figured in civil and criminal litigation in the Arkansas state, the owner declaring that they were stolen, while another man, accused of having stolen them, said he had won them in a game.

James W. Alexander of Paragould, Ark., the owner of the bonds, said they disappeared from a safe deposit box in the National bank of Commerce, Paragould, after he thoughtlessly let the key to the box pass out of his hands.

Alexander has stated that on Jan. 15, last, an acquaintance, Lane of Paragould, asked him the loan of a key, saying he wanted to open a trunk. Alexander took a key from his key ring, but as he could not get the trunk open, he said he let the key to the trunk, on which were several other keys, including the one to the box.

Constitution Reversed.  
A week later, Alexander said, he received his deposit box and found \$20,200 of his Liberty bonds had been removed. Lane was arrested, and inquiry showed that he had pledged some of the bonds as collateral on a loan. Lane was convicted of theft and sentenced to three years in prison. His defense was that he won the bonds in gambling with Alexander.

The conviction of Lane was reversed by the Arkansas Supreme court, because of an irregularity in the selection of the jury. However, Alexander brought a civil suit and obtained a court order for the return of the bonds, but Lane refused to let where they were, and he was placed in jail for contempt of court. Lane is still in jail.

M. P. Huddleston of Paragould was Lane's lawyer in both the criminal and the civil proceedings. Secret Service operatives, investigating the case, learned that Huddleston visited St. Louis last week, and arranged a sale of \$17,000 of Liberty bonds through Harry S. Rein, secretary of the St. Louis Stock Exchange.

An St. Louis firm, with which Huddleston had arranged to purchase the bonds, paid for them with a check drawn on a bank in St. Louis, and attached coupons.

Investigation Begun.  
Huddleston cashed the check and placed the money in a safe deposit box. The bonds, after passing through the knowledge of the St. Louis firm, were sold to different purchasers, but four \$1,000 bonds passed into the hands of the United States Government, and their number showed they were a part of the bonds claimed by Alexander.

Rein said to Secret Service operatives, who questioned him about the handling of the bonds here, that he had been imposed upon. Through Rein, the safety box in which Huddleston had placed the money was located, and its contents, \$10,000, were impounded. The Secret Service agents recovered \$1250 which Rein was holding for Huddleston.

The Secret Service inquiry developed that Huddleston, after the bonds were located, did not remain in St. Louis to await the sale, but returned to Paragould, leaving instructions that if the sale was closed, a telegram should be sent to him at a hotel in Poplar bluff, Mo.

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THE SAME TEMPERATURE  
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Highest yesterday, 83 at 4 p. m.  
Lowest 67 at 4:30 a. m.



## ITALY AGAIN APOUSE OVER POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC STATUS

Advance in Price of Bread  
One Cause of Discontent—Rise Due to Cereal Tax.

FASCISTI RESUME  
TACTICS OF VIOLENCE

Papal Organ Blames Mus-  
solini for Outbreaks  
Among Followers; Little  
Chance of Political Upset

By KAJETAN DUNBAR.  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-  
Dispatch and New York World.

CHIASSO, Italian-Swiss Frontier, Aug. 4.—Although newspaper men living in Italy dare not so lost they be expelled, Italy is again passing through a period of discontent. The reasons are both economic and political.

Prices of bread and macaroni have risen 10 to 15 per cent, according to the locality, following the action of Finance Minister Volpi in reviving the city tolls on cereals. Volpi declares the toll is to encourage Italian farmers to grow more grain and to reduce purchases from the United States, which, according to him, are responsible for the drop in the lira's value.

The people, who include the huge army of state employees, fail to see the point and are furious over the fresh rise in the price of staple foods, knowing by experience that dear bread means dear everything.

Fascist Violence Revived.  
Another cause of indignation is the revival of fascist violence. Even the calm papal organ, *Osservatore Romano*, usually benign towards Mussolini, is stirred by armed attacks upon opposition politicians and also by black shirt devastation of Catholic working men's clubs to print more energetic editorials in which Mussolini is blamed for encouraging violence when addressing his faithful followers. No other paper, however, dares criticize because criticism would be followed by immediate sequestration. The only exception is that *discontent* can't lead either to a modification of the fascist program which is based on big stick rule or to a change of government.

The opposition, which is still divided on every big internal question, lacks a man big enough to smother out the squabbles. The opposition has even ceased to hope that Mussolini's illness will force him from power. Although he has grown very thin, Mussolini today looks decidedly better than four months ago. The strictest sort of a personal regime, combined with a policy of leaving as much business as possible to underlings, and a frame robust for 44 years have worked miracles.

Little Prospect of Trouble.  
Whatever discontent may be seething beneath the surface, there is not the least prospect, so far as real trouble is concerned, of any important developments except for some unseemly piece of violent folly from fascists themselves.

Fascism's foes have entirely lost hope that the trial of Matteotti's assassin will lead to freedom. The *Milano* Liberals are firmly convinced that the government aims at the suspension of the Liberal Corriere della Sera, also Giolitti's Turin organ, Stampa, before the trial opens, which will probably be in October.

A packed jury and carefully sifted evidence will insure the fascists against sensational revelations from witnesses and lessen the chances of a severe verdict for the accused. With a gagged press, a packed jury and the only presumable way to overturn Italy's tyrants would be through the collapse of the lira in the foreign money markets, and not even Mussolini's bitterest foes want that. It is four killed in riot in Southern Italian town.

By the Associated Press.  
COSENZA, Italy, Aug. 4.—Three women and a man were killed and fifteen persons injured in fighting yesterday at San Giovanni, Southern Italy, when a mob of 200 stormed the municipal building as a protest against the methods of government officials. Police fired on the crowd and troops were hurried from here to restore order. The attack on the City Hall apparently grew out of discontent on the part of the villagers against the royal commissioner, Giovanni Rossi, who is said to have increased the taxes on various pine necessities of life.

The local population also charge that municipal employees have appropriated for their use a large part of the public funds.

## His Doctor's License Attacked.



DR. R. B. HORTON.

## SUPREME COURT BARS DOCTORS' PLOT CHARGE

Testimony Regarding Checks  
Given Dr. Horton Will Not  
Be Heard in Ouster Suit.

By the Jefferson City Correspondent  
of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 4.—Testimony as to the checks given to Dr. R. B. Horton by applicants for physicians' licenses, before they took the examination of the State Board of Health, will not be heard by the Supreme Court in the State's quo warranto proceeding to revoke the charter of the Kansas City College of Medicine and Surgery.

The Supreme Court today ordered stricken from the college's answer, as irrelevant, all charges against officials of the State Board of Health, and others. It thus endorsed Attorney-General Otto's statement that, even if the allegations were proven, they would have no bearing on the merits of the case.

The court's action strips the college's answer of all except its formal denial of the State's charges. The college had alleged that Dr. Emmett F. North, of St. Louis, president of the State Board, and Dr. Cortez F. Enloe of Jefferson City, member and former secretary of the board, conspired with officials of the American Medical Association to put the Kansas City institution out of business. They have denied this charge, but will not have to refute it in court.

Appointment of a special commissioner was asked by the State, to take testimony as to the manner in which the Kansas City institution has been conducted. The college was placed on the State Board's "nonreputable" list in November, 1923.

The Supreme Court overruled the motion of the college's counsel to transfer the case to the Jackson County Circuit Court, for a jury trial.

Horton Says He Will Be Able to  
Dr. Horton, whose home is in Purdy, Mo., said yesterday to a Post-Dispatch reporter that he would be able, at the proper time, to explain the payments of money to him by applicants for physicians' licenses. Three such applicants have stated they gave him \$1445, and checks for the greater part of this amount, bearing his endorsement, have been shown. They said they paid him for his supposed influence, but none of the three obtained a license to practice medicine.

Mrs. Johanna Brumms Dies at 83.  
Mrs. Johanna Brumms, 83 years old, wife of the late Godfrey Brumms, 208 West Clay street, St. Charles, died there at 4 a. m. yesterday after two weeks' illness. She was survived by three daughters and four sons, 14 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. One son, Edward, is Circuit Clerk of St. Charles County. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon, in the Lutheran Church.

## HEARINGS BEGUN ON PROPOSED NEW ZONING ORDINANCE

Arguments Offered and In-  
quiries Made Concerning  
the Tentative Classifica-  
tions of Districts.

SESSIONS SCHEDULED  
NEXT THREE NIGHTS

"We Wish to Get the Opin-  
ions of as Many Neigh-  
borhoods as Possible,"  
Chairman Says.

Organizations and neighborhood delegations are expected to attend tonight's session, and those tomorrow night and Thursday night, of the Zoning Commission's public hearings on the proposed new city zoning ordinance. The sessions are being held in the Board of Public Service room, on the second floor of the City Hall, beginning at 8 p. m.

Advance guards of the organizations and delegations were among the 45 persons, aside from commission members and city officials, who attended last night's opening session of the hearings. Some of them said they would bring others with them to later meetings, and Chairman E. J. Russell of the commission urged them to do so.

"We wish to get the opinions of as many neighborhoods as possible," the chairman said, "on the conditions in those neighborhoods, and the sentiment of their residents as to what classification they should have in the future."

Many Bring Maps.  
Copies of the tentative map printed in Sunday's Post-Dispatch, showing the proposed use of districts, residence, multiple residence, commercial, industrial and unclassified, were carried by several of the persons attending the meeting, and by the commission members.

Most of the arguments and inquiries were to single blocks or narrow sections of town. A typical statement was that made to the commission by W. W. Worstell, who had noted that his home at 4411 Washington boulevard is in the middle of a proposed commercial district, embracing Olive street, Washington and Delmar boulevards, from Spring avenue almost to Kingshighway.

Representatives of our part of Washington boulevard are opposed to having the street built up with stores," Worstell said. "Let Olive and Delmar have the stores—they have the car and bus lines."

The chairman replied that it had appeared to the commission that Washington would eventually be a commercial thoroughfare. "But we don't want to force it," he added. "If a majority of your people object to the commercial proposal, we would like to know it. If a change were made, it would probably be to place Washington boulevard in the multiple-residence district, in which apartment houses, lodging houses, hotels and institutions are permitted, as well as one-family and two-family residences."

A change in the other direction was desired by Miss Nannie Carroll, whose property interests are in Bell street, between Olive and Washington boulevards. "Instead of a multiple-residence classification," she said, "I would like to see it placed in the multiple-residence class. The reply was that several four-family flats on those streets seemed to indicate a desire for such a construction. The speaker thought not, and said he would get others to appear before the commission.

Building Line Question.  
The Lindell Boulevard Association was represented in the speaking by S. T. Larkin and Mrs. Isaac T. Cook. They asked what the new ordinance would do as to building lines, and were told that it would require yards of a certain depth, and that the endeavor would be to keep existing building lines, but that the power to prescribe a building line, as such, is in doubt.

A representative of the South-  
ampton Development League asked why the vicinity of Murdock, Lansdowne and Devonshire avenues had not been placed in the multiple-residence class. The reply was that several four-family flats on those streets seemed to indicate a desire for such a construction. The speaker thought not, and said he would get others to appear before the commission.

Several questions were asked about the proposed permission of "public garages" in the multiple-residence zone. The chairman said the garages to be permitted were not for the general public, but for the dwellers in the apartment houses of the district.

Prof. Isaac Lippincott urged that the residence character of Cabanne place, west of Hamilton avenue, be preserved. A. C. Pap-

## Dead Man Speaks Through Phonograph At Own Funeral

Musical Selections Were Rec-  
ords of His Favorites Which  
He Had Chosen.

By the Associated Press.

DAVENPORT, Ia., Aug. 3.—The voice of the dead delivered the oration at the funeral services for Charles W. Lau, wealthy retired farmer and former member of the School Board, here yesterday.

In order that he might have a farewell heart-to-heart talk with his family and friends, and that he might deliver the oration in his own words, Mr. Lau, three months ago, went to a Chicago laboratory and had two addresses he had previously prepared inscribed on phonograph records.

Lau died last Saturday. The two addresses were delivered through the medium of the phonograph, one at the funeral services at the home and the other at the cemetery. The address given Mr. Lau's conception of modern science, which he called "the platitudes of the present-day pulpit" which "cannot reconcile itself with the spirit of modern science because it is still in the way of the dead hand of tradition."

Phonograph records of his favorite selections, chosen by him before he died, were played at the funeral. Likewise in life he selected his pallbearers and left a list of friends he wished invited to the funeral.

## LEWIS PREPARED TO ORDER ANTHRACITE STRIKE SEPT. 1

Union Leaders Discredit Reports of  
Public Danger by Citing Alleged  
Surplus Stocks on Hand.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 4.—Confident that the United Mine Workers can win any strike they may call in the anthracite fields, John L. Lewis goes into the wage conference today prepared to withdraw his right to demand a walk-out Sept. 1, to enforce demands for wage increases and the check-off, and the closed shop.

In a letter to Samuel D. Warriner of last Friday, which Warriner has answered declining to meet his terms, and saying that he will be guided by what the operators say and do late today.

Lewis and Vice-President Murray yesterday conferred with leaders of the three anthracite districts. "If," said the leaders, "there are sufficient stocks of coal on hand to last the country for six months, there can be no public danger, no public interest, and no reason for intervention after the men walk out. The only possible reason for intervention at any time is public interest."

The fight in the local conference room will start the moment Major Ingalls, for the operators, renews the Warriner demand that Lewis agree to a training school for the mines and arbitration in the event of failure to agree upon terms.

Charles W. de Lary, builder in the De Mun Park region, was the only person to discuss the proposed restrictions on height of buildings. He argued that buildings 10 stories in height, instead of the proposed limit of eight stories, should be allowed on the west side of Skinker boulevard, between Olive and Washington boulevards. He argued that buildings 10 stories in height, instead of the proposed limit of eight stories, should be allowed on the west side of Skinker boulevard, between Olive and Washington boulevards. He argued that buildings 10 stories in height, instead of the proposed limit of eight stories, should be allowed on the west side of Skinker boulevard, between Olive and Washington boulevards.

Other Inquiries.  
Mrs. I. R. Smith, an aged owner of property at 4023 West Pine boulevard, sought to learn why the proposed ordinance would not allow a building 10 stories in height, instead of the proposed limit of eight stories, should be allowed on the west side of Skinker boulevard, between Olive and Washington boulevards. He argued that buildings 10 stories in height, instead of the proposed limit of eight stories, should be allowed on the west side of Skinker boulevard, between Olive and Washington boulevards.

Extent of Commercial Strip.  
R. L. Maxton asked how far back the commercial strip extended from the arterial streets into residence streets. Harland Bartholomew, engineer of the commission, said it extended to the nearest alley.

Miss Georgia Raby asked if the requirements of three feet at either side of the lot would not prevent the building of some narrow lots, in case the present building on those lots should be destroyed. She was told that the Board of Adjustment, proposed in the ordinance, would consider the application of the law so that construction would be possible.

Members of the commission present, besides the chairman and Engineer Bartholomew, were W. S. Bell, President of the Board of Public Service, George D. Barnett Jr., Charles M. Talbert and Building Commissioner Christopher.

## \$441,773 RISE IN CITY'S EXPENSES FOR THREE MONTHS

From April 7 to July 7, 68  
Departments Showed In-  
crease in Cost of Operat-  
ing of \$527,205.

DECREASE BY 22  
OF \$85,431.91

Comptroller Reports Boost  
of \$39,252 in Running  
Police Department Over  
Period Last Year.

Cost of city government is going up, like the cost of living. This appears in the Comptroller's quarterly comparison, which shows that the St. Louis municipal government, for the three months period April 7 and July 7 of this year, spent \$441,773.25 more than in the same period of 1924.

Of the 90 municipal departments and activities included in the classification, 22 show a decrease of \$85,431.91 in expenditures for the quarterly period, as compared with last year. The 68 show an increase of \$527,205.16, leaving the net increase \$441,773.25.

Largest Increase for Police.

The tabulation does not include the Public Library, Art Museum and Zoo, which are supported by special tax funds.

Mayor Miller, who went into office April 21, instituted cuts in the payrolls of several departments, but these cuts did not go into effect until June 1 or June 15, so that their full effect does not appear. The large increase in Police Department requirements, under the police salary bill passed by the Legislature in 1924, was called by the Mayor.

The largest items of increase for the April-July quarter of 1925, as compared with the same quarter of 1924, are:

Police Department, \$99,252.18; lighting streets and alleys, \$74,524.22; City Sanitation, \$45,110.11; election and registration, \$42,009.96; City Hospital, \$31,603.84; President's department, Board of Public Service, \$29,832.61; maintaining parks and playgrounds, \$18,726.12; improvement pavement section, Street Department, \$18,392.64; Koch Hospital, \$17,783.46; fire commissioner, \$13,332.27; Fire Department, \$11,892.90; courts, \$11,760.26; training school for fire-minded, \$10,405.75; Board of Children's Guardians, \$9,212.84; municipal garage, \$7,686.47; street cleaning section, Street Department, \$7,445.43; miscellaneous charities and pensions, \$7,531.02; City Infirmary, \$6,996.57; Work House, \$5,576.53; sanitary division, Health Department, \$5,349.59; City Hospital, No. 2, \$5,313.65; opening streets, \$5,070.00.

Chief Items of Decrease.  
The other increases shown are less than \$5000 each. The principal items of decrease in the quarterly comparison are:

Sewer maintenance, \$2,451.69; stable section, Street Department, \$1,059.45; firemen's pension fund, \$821.11; maintaining City Hall and Municipal Courts, \$777.57; Building Commissioner, \$453.89; incinerator plant, \$387.29; military organizations, \$178.16. Other decreases are less than \$3000 each.

The increase of more than \$42,000 in the item of elections and registration is connected with the holding of the city election April 7, there having been no election in the April-July period of 1924. The decrease in the incinerator plant item represents the full amount of that item in the April-July quarter of 1924, as the incinerator is not now in use. The item of garbage reduction shows an increase of \$4364.27.

Bomb Explosion at Printing Plant.  
CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—A bomb explosion occurred early today at the plant of the South Town Economist, a weekly newspaper which is located at a radio station. The explosion shattered all the windows in the plant and did other small damage. The bomb had been placed outside the printing plant. Several weeks ago plate glass windows in the building were smashed, but police failed to discover the cause of the attack.



## Going to the Mountains This Summer?

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## SUBMERGED PLATEAU FOUND OFF COAST OF FRANCE

Naval Captain Discovers Land 150 Feet Below Surface—Chart Showed Depth of 15,500.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

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CORUNNA, Spain, Aug. 4.—An immense submarine plateau, only 150 feet below sea level, has been discovered in the Bay of Biscay, 125 miles east by northeast, of Cape Ortegal, by the French naval transport Loiret. The Bay of Biscay is off the southwest coast of France.

When passing over the spot, the captain was surprised to see a huge tidal wave approaching. Taking soundings he found bottom at 125 to 150 feet, although the chart showed a depth of 15,500 feet. The plateau may have been thrown up by seismic disturbances, which would account for the recent tidal waves on the Atlantic coast line of Europe.

The observations in the Bay of Biscay were made on May 23 when there was a tidal wave at Penmarch, Brittany. There was also an earthquake in Japan on that date.

## MOTHER TESTIFIES FOR RUSSELL SCOTT

Takes Stand in Sanity Hearing  
in Which Life of Son  
Is at Stake.

By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—Mrs. Rilla Scott of Bayville, O., mother of Russell Scott, took the witness stand today to testify in behalf of her son whose life is at stake, in the sanity hearing before Superior Judge Joseph B. David. The hanging of Scott for murder of a clerk in a holdup has been stayed pending this hearing.

Under the law excluding witnesses from court until they have testified, Judge David ordered all alienists from the court. Later the ruling was altered to permit one alienist from each side to remain in court on condition that his testimony be confined to observational conclusions, rather than hypothetical questions.

Mrs. Scott said Russell was her second child, born 31 years ago. A question as to the condition of her first child was withdrawn after an objection by the State. Judge David sustained an objection when the mother was asked to "describe the birth of Russell."

Defense attorneys said they would connect the mother's testimony in regard to the child's birth with the insanity plea later. The Court overruled the testimony, but granted permission to withdraw the witness for the time being.

Defense Alienist Called.  
Dr. H. S. Hulbert, the first defense alienist, then was called. He testified that Scott's mother "had been in ill health and his father was alcoholic." Judge David leaped from his seat.

"Don't you object to that?" the Judge demanded of the prosecution. The prosecution did and the Court sustained them.

Dr. Hulbert said his examination convinced him the prisoner had become insane since he was sentenced to the gallows last February.

Judge David took the alienist in hand. "You say that this prisoner had delusions of conspiracy, of persecution in his business affairs in Mexico and Canada. Do you know anything about those affairs?"

"No."  
"Very well, you will please confine your testimony to facts."

The Court ruled repeatedly that Scott's history, personal or business, would not be admitted. General conclusions as to the manifestation of insanity and hypothetical questions as to the causes were alike excluded.

The defense brought out that Scott had been a "drug addict," but the Court halted an effort to establish the habit as a factor contributory to insanity.

Scott, at the counsel table, slept through the wordy session.

## MAN'S BODY FOUND IN RIVER

Was About 50 Years Old—Weight 150 Pounds.

The body of a man about 50 years old was taken from the Mississippi River at the foot of St. George street today, and conveyed to the City Morgue.

The man was about five feet four inches tall, weighed 150 pounds, and had gray hair. The body was clad in a blue coat and shirt, brown trousers and tan shoes. In the pockets were eyeglasses, a pocketknife and an empty purse. The lower teeth were missing.

MacDonald on Mine Agreement.  
DUMMOND, England, Aug. 4.—Ramsay MacDonald, former Prime Minister, in a speech here yesterday commenting on what he termed the government's surrender to the coal miners, said the government had come to a sound conclusion "by a way abominably bad."

The government, he asserted, had handed over at least the appearance of a victory "to the very forces that same socialism felt to be probably its greatest enemy, and in fact and in substance, by its general policy had sided with the wild Bolsheviks."

1650 Miners to Resume Work.  
Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
WEST FRANKFORT, Ill., Aug. 4.—The C. W. and F. Mine, No. 1, employing 1650 men, will resume hoisting operations Aug. 17, after being idle since last spring. Mine No. 18 of the Industrial Coal Co., where the surface plant was destroyed in the tornado March 13, will start production Sept. 1 with 600 men.

## MORGAN INTERESTS NEW DIAMOND

Combination With Control  
Per Cent of Output, and  
Ced De Beers Syndicate

By Leased Wire From the

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—A diamond syndicate composed of Morgan interests in New York, the Dintekshubler syndicate in Germany, has been formed to join with the De Beers syndicate to succeed the Beers South Africa.

Dec. 31, it was announced by Lee Reichman, head of the Beers syndicate, that American diamond importers.

According to Reichman, the syndicate will have control of the production of the De Beers syndicate in the principal mines in Africa and Congo.

This syndicate will control per cent of the diamond output of the world and will be the diamond trust in existence, and will also supervise the output of the principal mines in Africa and Congo.

The Morgan office declared the Morgan interests in the diamond trade, according to the report of J. P. Morgan's put of the De Beers and Beers syndicate.

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## MORE DELINQUENT TAX SUITS PUT SHERIFF'S HANDS

Additional Actions Involving  
Back Levies on Per-  
sonal Property Are Made  
Ready for Service.

ABOUT 2500 TO BE  
FILED THIS TERM

Deputies Have Found Some  
of Persons Named Are  
Dead, While Others Have  
Moved Away.

Another installment of suits on delinquent personal property taxes has been sent to the Sheriff's office for service. The names of the delinquents and the amounts for which they are sued are as follows:

Annie S. Barry, 4718 McPherson avenue, \$39.36; A. D. Barston, 5129 Westminster place, \$24.70; Ellen J. Barston, 46 Westmoreland place, \$14.70; Fred J. Banks, 4310 West 14th boulevard, \$30.12; Paul A. Barlow, 5202A Terry avenue, \$31.28; J. A. Barnes, 6351 Delmar boulevard, \$18.25; E. E. Barrell, 1515 Vernon avenue, \$25.75; R. J. Balch, 4040 Olive street, \$25.75; W. Sherman Baldwin, 2853 Windsor place, \$41.17; Charles A. Blair, 1718 Ohio avenue, \$30.44; Julius W. Beneke, \$640 Humphrey street, \$29.40; Paul G. Bickel, 4207 Westminster place, \$26.32; James Belter, 2911 Olive street, \$28.57; Henry Belter, 902 South Vandeventer avenue, \$56.37; Frank Bellin, 4404 Olive street, \$42.22; Mary Bell, 4568 Washington boulevard, \$23.35; J. W. Bell, 5947 Washington, \$37.32; Albert and Alma M. Beltsbarth, 1646 Humphrey street, \$44.70; Paul Beckwith, 5744 McPherson street, \$27.64; H. H. Bickel, 5757 Waterman avenue, \$22.20; Arthur Bick, 5216 Vernon avenue, \$13.43; Louis Bernstein, 3436 Olive street, \$45.76; Alfonso Artman, \$22.22; E. B. Bickel, 5744 McPherson street, \$27.64; H. H. Bickel, 5757 Waterman avenue, \$22.20; Arthur Bick, 5216 Vernon avenue, \$13.43; Louis Bernstein, 3436 Olive street, \$45.76; Alfonso Artman, \$22.22; E. B. Bickel, 5744 McPherson street, \$27.64; H. H. Bickel, 5757 Waterman avenue, \$22.20; Arthur Bick, 5216 Vernon avenue, \$13.43; Louis Bernstein, 3436 Olive street, \$45.76; Alfonso Artman, \$22.22; E. B. Bickel, 5744 McPherson street, \$27.64; H. H. Bickel, 5757 Waterman avenue, \$22.20; Arthur Bick, 5216 Vernon avenue, \$13.43; Louis Bernstein, 3436 Olive street, \$45.76; Alfonso Artman, \$22.22; E. B. Bickel, 5744 McPherson street, \$27.64; H. H. Bickel, 5757 Waterman avenue, \$22.20; Arthur Bick, 5216 Vernon avenue, \$13.43; Louis







Greenfield's

# August Clearance

A Rare Opportunity to Buy Men's Wearing Apparel  
Note the Following Prices for Summer and Early Fall Wear



## Neckwear Reductions

Excluding Black, White and Pearls

|                           |        |
|---------------------------|--------|
| \$1.50 Neckwear, now..... | \$1.15 |
| \$2.00 Neckwear, now..... | \$1.50 |
| \$2.50 Neckwear, now..... | \$1.85 |
| \$3.00 Neckwear, now..... | \$2.25 |
| \$3.50 Neckwear, now..... | \$2.65 |
| \$4.00 Neckwear, now..... | \$3.00 |
| \$4.50 Neckwear, now..... | \$3.35 |
| \$5.00 Neckwear, now..... | \$3.75 |
| \$6.00 Neckwear, now..... | \$4.50 |

Four-in-Hands Only

## All Our Fine Straw Hats 1/3 Off Including



Dunlap  
Bonar-  
Phelps  
Knapp-  
Felt

and  
Other  
Fine  
Straw  
Hats

## Reductions in Sweater Coats.

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|---------------------------------|---------|
| \$ 5.00 Sweater Coats, now..... | \$ 3.75 |
| \$ 6.00 Sweater Coats, now..... | \$ 4.50 |
| \$ 7.50 Sweater Coats, now..... | \$ 5.65 |
| \$ 8.50 Sweater Coats, now..... | \$ 6.35 |
| \$ 9.00 Sweater Coats, now..... | \$ 6.75 |
| \$10.00 Sweater Coats, now..... | \$ 7.50 |
| \$12.00 Sweater Coats, now..... | \$ 9.00 |
| \$13.50 Sweater Coats, now..... | \$10.15 |
| \$15.00 Sweater Coats, now..... | \$11.25 |
| \$16.50 Sweater Coats, now..... | \$12.35 |
| \$17.50 Sweater Coats, now..... | \$13.15 |
| \$18.00 Sweater Coats, now..... | \$13.50 |
| \$20.00 Sweater Coats, now..... | \$15.00 |
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| \$25.00 Sweater Coats, now..... | \$18.75 |
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## Entire Stock of Wool Suits

Included

## In the August Clearance

Mostly With Two Trousers

We have just added to our Super-Value line about 350 fine worsted Suits, with two pairs of pants, mostly Fall weights, some of which sold as high as \$60, selling at.....

**\$35.75**



Greatly Reduced Prices On All Our

## One and Two Pants Suits

|                       |         |                       |         |
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| \$65 Suits, now ..... | \$52.50 | \$50 Suits, now ..... | \$41.50 |
| \$60 Suits, now ..... | \$48.50 | \$45 Suits, now ..... | \$37.50 |
| \$55 Suits, now ..... | \$43.50 | \$40 Suits, now ..... | \$32.50 |

Reduced Prices on Our Entire Line of  
Midsummer Wearing Apparel, Including

Linens  
Flannels

Mohairs  
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Lorraine Seersuckers  
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20% Off on Gray and White Flannel Trousers  
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## 2 Big Specials in Rockinchair Union Suits

LOT NO. 1  
Consisting of three numbers, of all white materials—very desirable patterns. The suit.  
Special Sale Price.....**\$1.15**  
All Sizes—34 to 46

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Consisting of four numbers, white materials in desirable patterns. The suit.  
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## Genuine Imported English Broadcloth Shirts \$1.95

Both neckbands and collar-attached. Whites, tans, grays and blues. Exceptional values

Special Lot of  
Robes

At **25% Off**

Silks, Wools  
and Terrys

Sport Belts

At **20% Off**

Leather Belts  
\$1.00  
De Luxe... 80c

Special Lot of  
Silk-Mixed 6x3 Ribbed  
Half Hose

**\$1.15**

A Pair

**Greenfield's**  
Olive at Eighth



## Reductions in Shirts

Excluding Manhattan and White

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|--------------------------|---------|
| \$ 2.00 Shirts, now..... | \$ 1.50 |
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Of more than ordinary interest in the collection is a rifle with a barrel weighing 16 pounds that is said to have been the property of Daniel Boone, and a double pistol of the Revolutionary War period, having a bayonet attachment. Meigs obtained the rifle from an aged resident of Jerseyville, Ill., who declared it had been left with his father by a companion of Boone's, who stated it belonged to the intrepid pioneer. Meigs has fashioned cartridges for the rifle and fired it, pronouncing it remarkably accurate.

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## ADVERTISEMENT

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Thousands of Agonized Sufferers Felt This Way About

## NEURITIS

Now They Bless This New  
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# STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

See Our Other Announcements on Pages 11 and 21

## The Store-Wide August Sales

### Sale of Women's and Misses' Winter Coats

Presents a Host of Coats in Advance Styles  
at a Sale Price That Creates  
Extraordinary Values

\$55

**Q**UALITY is evident in every model included, for the Coats were chosen on beauty of material, excellence of fur and finish of tailoring. The price is low and the values of a character seldom to be equaled. The Coats presented are sufficiently varied to satisfy every woman's need, and come in all sizes for misses—regular, extra and small sizes for women.

If desired, charge purchases during  
the sale may be paid in October.

(Sale in Women's Coat Section and Misses' Store—Third Floor.)



### A Special Selling of Wash Fabrics

10,000 Yards of Lovely Tub Materials  
in Two Unusual Groups

15c and 25c Yard

At 15c one's choice is among 32 and 36 inch materials in beautiful new colors. Pink charmotte with white designs, sheer tissues with woven black patterns, and gray, brown, or black voiles with white design.

At 25c materials are yard wide and include Lorraine tissue with block or checked effects on white and colors. (Main Floor Squares)

### Wednesday Is BABY DAY

Mothers Find in These Baby Day Offerings  
an Opportunity for Thrifty Shopping

#### Infants' Dresses

\$1.50

**L**ITTLE Dresses, handmade of sheer nainsook. Shirred at neck. An assortment of very lovely styles at a price that represents a decided saving.



**Gertrudes, 50c**  
Fashioned of cotton flannel in white with shell stitching to trim the edge.

**Wrappers, 59c**  
Of cotton flannel, daintily embroidered in pink or blue—a comfy and becoming garment for baby.

**Infants' Cape, \$2.50**  
Made with hood, entirely of cashmere; some trimmed in embroidered sprays.

**Madeira Slip, 75c**  
A batiste Pillow Slip for baby's bed or carriage, trimmed with hand-scalloped edge and eyelet embroidery.

**Baby Moccasins, 50c**  
Little Moccasins of crepe de chine with pink or blue trimming on white.

**Diapers, Doz., \$1.95**  
Bird's-Eye Diapers, a dozen to a package, hemmed ready for use.

#### Jap Silk Quilts, \$3.95

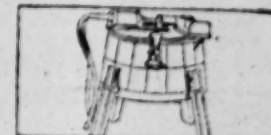
Blue Jap satin Quilts, finished with pretty hand-embroidered design in contrasting color. (Second Floor.)

### Attractive Features in the August Sale of Housewares



**Dishpan and Soap Combination \$1.35**

Seven cakes of P. & G. white Naphtha Soap, 2 cakes medium size Ivory Toilet Soap, 2 packages Ivory Soap flakes, 1 package large-size Chino Soap Chips and one 10-quart white enamel Dishpan.



**Washing Machines \$13.49**

Water power Wash Machines, can be attached to most any water faucet.



**Bird Cage and Stand \$5.98**

Large size round brass Bird Cage with brass seed guard, complete bronze Bird Cage Stand.



**Electric Cookers, \$5.98**

Attachable to any electric light socket. Cooking is done with a great saving of time, labor and fuel.



**Mirror Aluminum Double Boilers, \$1.95**

2-quart size, with aluminum cover which can be used on upper or lower vessel.



**Electric Irons, \$2.98**

High-grade Martha Washington, full 6-lb. weight, highly nickel plated. Heating element guaranteed for one year.

**Sprinkling Hose, \$2.98**  
Goodyear brand, red rubber, corrugated, non-kinkable, 1 1/2-inch size, 25-ft. sections complete with couplings. (Fifth Floor.)

### Sale of Lingerie

2500 Sample Garments of Silk  
and Cotton at Very Low Prices



**T**HE silk Lingerie is exquisitely tailored of crepe de chine and radium in styles new and various. Elaborate lace-trimmed pieces, or rich tailored things. Choice in this group of flesh, orchid and peach. Only one or two of a kind.

Gowns, \$3.50 to \$7.50  
Step-Ins, \$2.50 to \$3.50  
Bloomers, \$2.50 to \$3.50  
Princess Slips, \$3.00 to \$7.50  
Envelope Chemise, \$2.50-\$5.00  
(Second Floor.)

#### Fine Cotton Lingerie

Nainsook, voile, and novelty materials fashioned in a dozen different ways; essential underthings, pretty lace trimmed or hand embroidered.

Nightgowns, \$1.00 to \$3.00  
Princess Slips, \$1.00 to \$3.00  
Envelope Chemise, 75c to \$1.50  
Step-Ins, \$1.00 to \$2.00  
(Second Floor and Thrift Avenue—Main Floor.)

### August Sale of China Features Numerous Interesting Values

**A** RECENT importation of thin china enables us to offer this attractive ware at prices less than the cost of semi-porcelain. China daintily decorated in wild rose design and gold treated will enhance the beauty of your table.

Cups and Saucers 29c  
Dinner Plates, 25c  
Salad Plates, 20c  
Pie Plates, 15c  
Fruit Plates, 12c  
Soup Plates, 25c  
(Fifth Floor.)



### The Taylor Tot

Offers Pleasure and Exercise to Children

\$4.95



**A** THREE-PURPOSE vehicle—combining baby walker, go-cart and coaster car—serves as a helpful toy. With seat adjustable in height, it grows with the youngster. The Taylor Tot is strongly built, finished in red enamel and ivory trimmed.

With collapsible handle at \$5.95. (Fifth Floor.)

### 9x12 Axminster Rugs

\$34.75

**A** COMPLETE assortment of beautiful Chinese and Persian designs in Rugs of high pile and close texture, which will give excellent service.

9x12 Royal Wiltons \$75.00

Offering many beautiful designs on backgrounds of taupe, sand, mulberry, heather and blue. Top motifs of Chinese and Persian effects. All are finished with fringe.

Crex de Luxe and Kimlark Rugs \$19.75

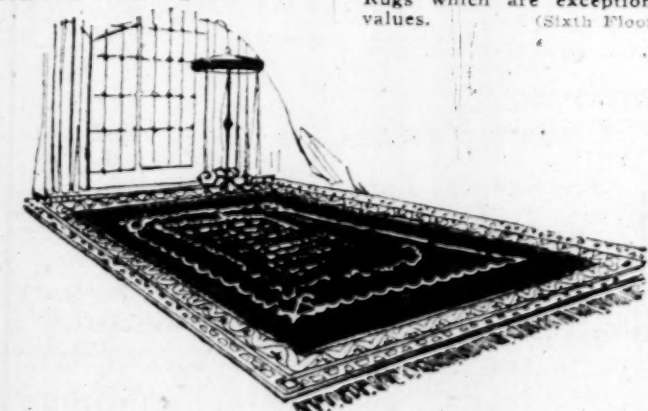
Plain fields with stenciled designs are shown. These 9x12 Rugs are durable and ideal for bedroom.

9x12 Brussels Rugs \$29.75

High quality seamless Rugs in all-over design. These are especially appropriate for bedroom or dining room.

9x12 Solid-Color Rugs \$62.50

Plain center of rose, taupe and seal with hand borders of darker shades are offered for selection; in these seamless Rugs which are exceptional values. (Sixth Floor.)





**August Sale of Housewares**

Hundreds of useful articles for the home are included in this important event.  
The Basement Housewares Shop has been specially arranged for convenient shopping, with August Sale Price signs on all items.

Store Hours: Daily, 8:30 to 5:00—Friday, 8:30 to 5:30

75  
YEARS**Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney**

ESTABLISHED 1850—DIAMOND JUBILEE YEAR—1925

75  
YEARS**The August Furniture Sale**

Of the utmost importance to every home-maker is this tremendous opportunity. Furniture of Vandervoort Quality—in infinite variety—and  
**Every Piece of Furniture Reduced 10% to 50%**

Olive to Locust, From Ninth to Twelfth



All you need is

**SALVATOR**  
Natural Mineral Spring  
**WATER**

For 50 years, physicians have given this advice to people suffering from diseases caused largely by improper functioning of the kidneys and bladder—such diseases as rheumatism, gout, catarrh, gastric diseases, gravel and stone formation, etc.

The natural minerals in *Salvator Spring Water* have aided countless thousands to regain health and strength. On file with the owners of *Salvator Springs* there are letters from practicing physicians from many countries praising, endorsing *Salvator*.

Ask your doctor about it. Or get a few bottles from your druggist. You will be surprised and delighted to see how quickly you will begin to feel better. Not compensating not laxative.

The Alpha-Lux Co., Inc., New York  
Sold by the following and other leading druggists:  
**JUDGE & DOLPH DRUG STORES**  
515 OLIVE STREET

During 1924 the Post-Dispatch printed 8004 Agents Wanted "Wants"—2363 more than the THREE other St. Louis newspapers combined.

THEY

What they cry. Wise Savers, the hole, because ideal can You ca Savers—so pure.

Good for little tin Safe for tiny

There is one—through Phone your your name

**GARLAND**  
INCORPORATED  
St. Louis' Largest Women's Specialty**Exclusive**Masterpieces of the Art  
Sale, Are Priced**\$99 to \$2**Later Prices Will  
\$149 to \$385

Individual models in the rich season's fabrics—each with some feature—the front flare of "the cannon ball" or tightly tailored Queen Anne or new shawl collar silhouettes and new ideas and combinations of costly fur



Smartly youthful—this Coat of Dew Bloom in the Autumn shade Musette, combined with beaver—August price

**\$110**

Later price, \$159

Third Floor.

**August Sales Feature in Advance the Modes for Fall at Lower Prices****The August Sale of FURS**

INCLUDES in the wonderful assortment of beautiful new Fur Coats these attractive versions of authentic advance modes for Fall and Winter. They are equally interesting examples of August Sale values.



Golden Muskrat Tomboy sports model, with collar and border of Jap fox. New pouch sleeves.  
**August Sale Price, \$235**  
Regular Price \$298.50

A luxurious new Fur Coat of Natural or Beige Squirrel, with self collar and pouch sleeves. Beautifully matched skins.  
**August Sale Price, \$385**  
Regular Price \$475.00



One of the very fashionable new Leopard Coats, with large blood-red fox collar.  
**August Sale Price, \$375**  
Regular Price \$450.00

Hudson Seal (died Northern muskrat). Straight-line model with gauntlet cuffs and crush collar in gray squirrel, beige squirrel, dyed fitch or skunk.  
**August Sale Price, \$250**  
Regular Price \$295.00



Misses' Beaver Coney Coat, in double-breasted Tomboy model, with new roll collar.  
**August Sale Price, \$87.50**  
Regular Price \$110.00

Cocoa American Broadtail (South American lamb) Jaquette, with narrow bands of Summer ermine on flare cuff and collar.  
Other Coats in one-of-a-kind group.  
**August Sale Price, \$149.75**  
Regular Price \$198.50  
Fur Shop—Third Floor.

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**Philippine Baby Dresses**

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First Floor Tables.

**The August Sale of COATS**

FEATURES these smart, new fur-trimmed Cloth Coats for the Fall and Winter season. Their combined advance style and special price appeal will prove of unusual interest.



Women's Coat of kashmirette, in crayon blue or sea swallow, kit fox collar, cuffs and border at godet side flare.

**August Sale Price, \$87.50**

Regular Price \$97.50

Women's Lustrous Coat, with roll collar and three-quarter border of eclipse, black or platinum wolf.

**August Sale Price, \$125**

Regular Price \$135.00



Misses' Coat of lustrous, with brown fox collar and panel at side. Rich braid trimming. Slight flare.

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Regular Price \$97.50

Sports Coat of new checked tweed, with collars and cuffs of raccoon. Belted all around.

**August Sale Price, \$55**

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Extra-size Coat of carmina, in Jacapa brown, with mushroom collar of fox to blend. New godet side flare.

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Women's Coat of neodepoint, in charming flared model. Roll collar, cuffs and border of genuine marten.

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August Sale Price, \$55

Regular Price \$59.75



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August Sale Price, \$87.75

Regular Price \$97.50

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Smartly youthful—this Coat of Dew Bloom in the Autumn shade Musette, combined with beaver—August price

**\$110**

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In exquisite taste—this coat of Kashmir Bloom in the new golden oak shade—richly bordered in red fox—August price

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HAYNES 'FIGURE HEAD'  
IN NEW DRY REGIME

Effective Sept 1, Commissioner Will Have Only Salary and the Title.

Post-Dispatch Bureau.

29-23 Wyatt Building.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Prohibition Commissioner Roy A. Haynes

has been stripped of virtually all the powers and responsibilities that formerly went with his office. Little remains to him but the salary and the title. The action, forecast

when it became known that Lincoln C. Andrews, as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, was to have entire charge of prohibition enforcement, was made through a Treasury decision, effective Sept. 1.

Haynes knew a month ago it was coming, and he seriously considered resigning.

The Post-Dispatch told how he was relieved of his chief lecturer, Miss Georgia Hopley, of Ohio. The Treasury decision made known yesterday was signed by Commissioner of Internal Revenue Blair and approved by C. S. Dewey, Acting Secretary of the Treasury. It means that Haynes has no important duties here. His salary is fixed by Congress, and he will hang on to that. He remains as "Prohibition Commissioner," but his force of several hundred employees will be reduced to a half dozen. When Congress meets an attempt will be made to abolish the office of Prohibition Commissioner.

Investigate Ruthless Killings.

Andrews was asked for a report on the killing of a bootlegger by a prohibition agent at Havre de Grace, Md., and a representative of the Bureau of Internal Revenue was hurried to the scene of the killing to investigate. Andrews will put a stop to the reckless use of force in the enforcement of the prohibition laws. It has been reported to his office that five persons were shot by dry agents during June and the July number will be much larger. Within the last week a child was fatally shot by a dry agent in Kentucky and a man at Havre de Grace Saturday.

The alleged grafting of prohibition enforcement men is being investigated by Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, Assistant Attorney General, and Assistant Secretary Andrews is co-operating.

200 Officers Facing Charges.

More than 200 law officers charged with the enforcement of the prohibition act were held for violations in May and June. The July report is not in yet. The reports on graft in the service were instrumental in causing Andrews to decide to dismiss all of the prohibition employees not in the classified service and take a fresh start.

Since the Volstead act was enacted, approximately 800 employees have been dismissed for various violations. Dry agents are on trial in many states, some for murder.

R. S. Durette, Virginia, State prohibition inspector, is under \$500 bond for shooting and killing W. P. Claiborne, negro, suspected of moonshining.

At Sioux Falls, S. D., last month Ike McCoun, Federal prohibition agent, fatally shot Francis Fountain, 22. He is under \$20,000 bond.

At Huntington, W. Va., two dry agents were killed and a third wounded when State and Federal agents opened fire on each other by accident. There are other similar cases.

Many dry officers high up have been involved in graft. Nine State directors were charged with conspiring to violate the Volstead act. In New York, Director W. S. Hart was prosecuted and acquitted. In the northern district of New Jersey, Division Chief Cone was tried and convicted.

PRISON CONGRESS CONVENES

Delegates From 24 Nations Discuss Chicago Crime Wave in London.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch from the Chicago Daily News. Copyright 1925.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—The ninth International Prison Congress opened in London today with delegates from 24 nations, including the United States, present to discuss ways and means of preventing crime.

By a curious coincidence the delegates found a story in the morning papers which stated that Chicago's murder record had reached more than one a day for 1925. Serious informal discussion of the Chicago problem occurred before the session opened. "The Chicago record," said one delegate, "is, I believe, the worst reached by any civilized metropolis in the world's history." The figures are, indeed, striking when it is considered that London, with its population three times that of Chicago, had only 27 murders all last year, as compared with 227 in Chicago since Jan. 1.

Sir Evelyn Ruggles-Briss, president of the congress, predicted laboratories and clinics would largely supplant prisons in future consideration of the pathological aspects of crime. The fact that one-third of Great Britain's jails had been closed since the war impressed the assembly.

Raulston to Speak at Memorial.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—Judge John T. Raulston of Dayton, Tenn., who presided at the Scopes trial, will be the principal speaker Sunday afternoon at a memorial service for the late William Jennings Bryan to be held in the North

Shore Congregational church of Chicago. The memorial meeting will virtually be the opening of a two weeks' meeting of the Illinois

Christian Fundamentalist Association. Speakers will include Melville Grove Kyle, president of Xenia Seminary, St. Louis.

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\$3.00 and Neckwear . . . \$2.15  
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## FORGERY CHARGES IN FEKETE SUIT OVER BUILDING

Son of Former East St. Louis Postmaster and His Stenographer Deny Signing Declaration of Trust.

Charges of forgery were made in testimony yesterday in the trial of the suit of Thomas L. Fekete Sr., former postmaster of East St. Louis, to establish his claim to ownership of an office building at 224 Collinsville avenue, East St. Louis, valued at \$70,000. Thomas L. Fekete Jr., an attorney, and other children are resisting the claim.

Judge Bertram, who in the case was tried in Circuit Court at Belleville, took the matter under advisement and will give a decision in about a month. Briefs to be submitted to him in the meantime by counsel for both sides.

**History of Litigation.**  
The building originally was the property of Dr. Alexander Fekete, father of Thomas L. Fekete Sr. Dr. Fekete bequeathed the property to his son's first wife, who in turn conveyed it to her son, Forrest. The present suit revolves around a purported declaration of trust by Forrest Fekete, settling forth that he held the property for his father, Thomas L. Fekete Sr., who could have it on demand at any time. Forrest Fekete died last March. In the preceding January, he repudiated the purported declaration of trust in favor of his father, and executed a declaration of trust in favor of himself, his brothers and his sisters.

On the purported declaration of trust in favor of Thomas L. Fekete Sr., the names of his son, Thomas L. Fekete Jr., and his son's stenographer, Amanda K. Young, appear as witnesses. Gus V. R. Mechin of St. Louis, a handwriting expert, testified the signatures of the purported maker of the deed and of the witnesses were spurious. Fekete Jr. and Miss Young likewise denied witnessing the document, but the former admitted his signature had been closely imitated.

**Scene in Office.**  
Thomas L. Fekete Sr. testified, incidentally, that his father lived beyond his means, maintaining a fine home in East St. Louis and a summer residence at Charlevoix, Mich., and otherwise being extravagant. As a result, he said, the property of his father's extensive properties were taken to satisfy debts.

He also told of a scene in his office in the building at 224 Collinsville, in 1922. He said his father, Forrest, rushed in upon him one day and while Forrest held him captive, his father departed with a box containing his lease to the office and other papers, some of which later were returned. This led to an estrangement between the brothers, he added, but they were reconciled last January.

Thomas L. Fekete Sr. maintains not only that his father lived beyond his means, but that the contested declaration is genuine, but that Thomas L. Fekete Jr. typed the document in his office. Last week he presented a number of witnesses who were of the opinion the signatures were genuine.

**ARMS PARLEY INSURED PEACE IN PACIFIC, U. S. ADMIRAL SAYS**  
Integrity of Our Possessions Assured, Declares W. W. Phelps of Naval Board.

By the Associated Press.  
WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., Aug. 4.—The Washington conference on limitation of armaments absolutely settled the peace of the Pacific, Rear Admiral W. W. Phelps, a member of the Naval Board in Washington, declared at the Institute of Politics today. The four-power pact, he added, has insured the integrity of our possessions.

"I do not believe in any war with Japan," he said. "Both nations would be perfect fools to promote a conflict. I think that a new mentality is developing and that commerce is gaining between the two nations. People who talk publicly of conflict are doing a disservice. The Washington conference has removed the mental fear that brought about vast armaments."

**GEN. PERSHING OPTIMISTIC**  
Reports Most Cordial Meeting on Tacna-Arica Question.

By the Associated Press.  
ARICA, Chile, Aug. 4.—At an informal meeting of the members of the Tacna-Arica plebiscite commission yesterday a change in plans was made and it was decided to hold the first official meeting of the commission Wednesday morning instead of today.

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Misses' Sizes 14 to 18  
Women's Sizes 36-44—Extra Sizes 46-52

Never such a sale. Never such Dresses. You will scarcely believe your own eyes when you see them. Hundreds and hundreds of them, priced only \$7.75—and they are

**\$10 \$15 \$20 and \$25 Values**

## 200 Coats \$5.00

Tailored of fine polaris materials, styles in straight-line models. Sizes for women and misses.

## 300 Silk Dresses \$3.88

Odd and ends of silk dresses that formerly sold for \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$10.00. Materials are printed crepe, Canton crepe, moiré and rayon.

Misses' Sizes 14 to 18. Women's Sizes 36 to 44. Extra Sizes 46 to 52.

## Continuing the Tremendous Domestic Sale!

Made of good quality bleached, wide 3-inch hem. Very special, each. 19c

**42x36 Pillowcases** 19c

**All-Linen Toweling** 19c

Pure bleached, 18 inches wide. Every thread linen. A real bargain, a yard.

**9-4 Pepperell Sheet** 45c

First quality, cut right off the bolt; genuine bargain, a yard.

**50-Inch Unbleached Sheet** 15c

Good quality, with bleached out with several washings. A 22c value, at a yard.

**72x90 Bleached Sheet** 95c

Fine quality, heavy-weight, linen finish; wide hem turn, a 1.25 value, each.

**25c Underwear Crepe** 15c

34-inch cotton crepe in all wanted plain shades. 2 to 30 yard lengths, yard.

**22c Dress Gingham** 15c

22-inch Dress (ginghams in various size checks and plaid effects. 2 to 30 yard lengths, yard.

**49c Cotton Sateen** 29c

2 to 10 yard lengths of cotton sateen in a wide range of wanted plain shades. Highly mercerized finish; 36 inches wide, yard.

**33c Kimono Crepe** 29c

In light and dark grounds with bright colored floral designs. 30 inches wide, yard.

**\$1.39 Cotton Batt** 98c

22x36 regular comforter size; made of excellent white cotton, weight 2 pounds, each.

**22c Comforter Challis** 12c

26-inch cotton Challis in light ground, printed in neat floral designs, yard.

**2 O'Clock Special**  
**19c Unbleached Linen Toweling**  
Limit 10 Yards to a Customer  
Good heavy quality linen-mixed Toweling; full width. While 2000 yards last. 9c

No Phone or Mail Orders

**50c Bath Towels**  
Jumbo knit, 22x45 size, each 34c

**\$1.39 Quilted Table Padding**  
54 inches wide, a yard \$1.19

## New Tailored Felt Hats

Ordinarily \$3.95 Values  
Special Wednesday at

# \$1.95

Truly wonderful values. Hats that can be used for almost any occasion. Every woman should take advantage of this wonderful sale. Dozens of styles to choose from. Trimmed in many different effects.

Colors include all the new and wanted shades.

**See These, Wednesday**

## White Low Shoes

Sizes 2½ to 8 in the Lot

**3000 Pairs—at**

Included are many samples. You will find straps, Oxfords, cut-outs, pumps and two-tone effects in all-white canvas, white buck or white canvas trimmed with patent or black leather. Pair

# 79¢

**Nadco Hosiery**  
Nadco full-fashioned silk hose, with well reinforced heels and toes; lace tops and double knitted cabs. Sizes \$1.50  
\$4 to \$10  
(Main Floor, South.)

## The Aug

Illustration of a woman in a dress and hat.

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**\$45 Gas Ranges**  
High oven, cabinet, large, roomy, over-bright broiler, with the famous "complete in your special" \$34.95  
Club Plan—\$5.00 \$5.00 Month

**Stone Cocks**  
Heavy Earthenware Glazed. 8 gallon—special \$1.25  
10 gallon—special \$1.50  
12 gallon—special \$2.25

**Pure Made quality**  
4-gallon—special \$1.00  
8-gallon—special \$1.50  
12-gallon—special \$2.25

## Great Reduc

**\$35.00 Refrigerators**  
2-door apartment-style, large, 100-lb. ice capacity and provision chamber; very special. \$24.50  
Club Plan

**\$9.50 Lawn Mowers**  
Easy running and self-sharpening, with 16-inch cutting blade, 18 of them at \$6.85

**\$1.50 Bottle Cappers**  
All steel practically indestructible, adjustable to fit most any bottle. \$1.00  
No Rust Beer or Beverage Bottles 24-ounce crown style, dozen 69c

**98c Mason Jars**  
Quart size, with lids and rubbers, per dozen, 79c



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Step-Ins

Every garment clean, fresh and  
well made. Shown for the first  
time.

More Than 10,000  
Pieces at One Price

59¢

Regular Sizes—  
Extra Sizes

A tremendous group of manu-  
facturers' sample over-cuts and  
surplus stock bought by us at a  
low enough price to permit them  
to be sold for less than the price  
of material alone. At this price  
you should buy them in one-half  
dozen lots.

NOTE! Soft, closely wov-  
en materials in  
white, flesh and wanted pastel  
shades; lace or embroidery trim-  
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Silk Dresses \$3.88

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Enjoy the Conveniences of a Charge Account

Eleven New Elevators to All Floors

Nadco Hosiery  
Nadco full-fashioned  
silk hose, with well rein-  
forced heels and toes; lace  
tops and double knitted  
knee. Come in the wanted  
colors. Sizes \$1.50  
\$1 to  
10 (Main Floor, South.)

\$1.95 Princess  
Slips  
These Slips are made of  
very fine nainsook, in bod-  
ice-top style. Trimmed with  
fine lace and  
tucks. Have  
deep hip home.  
Unusual  
values. \$1.59  
(Second Floor, South.)

\$2.95 and \$3.50  
Costume Slips  
These lovely Slips are made of  
radius tub silk and have embroid-  
ered designs, also mile-shirt  
straightline effects. All made  
with bodice top  
and pleat edge;  
light and dark  
colors. \$2.29  
(Second Floor, South.)

**Nugents**  
The Store for ALL the People

\$3.95 and \$4.50  
Costume Slips  
Costume Slips that will  
give splendid service. Made  
of orkida silk and rayon,  
in bodice-top and straight-  
line effects, light  
and dark colors.  
\$2.95  
Sizes 36 to 44  
(Second Floor, South.)

\$3.00 Shepherd  
Checks  
48-inch beautiful quality  
all-wool, soft rich finish  
shepherd checks. Correct  
navy, brown  
dress weight in  
navy, brown  
burgundy, henna  
or black. \$2.25  
(Main Floor, South.)

Imported  
Golf Balls  
Golfers now is the time to get  
a good Golf Ball. Special 48c  
while they last. This is an im-  
ported ball and  
gives great dis-  
tance. (Will not  
split.) Special, ca-  
pitol. \$48c  
(Third Floor, South.)

## The August Sale Women's and Misses \$58 Coats Continues



### The First Showing of Fall Dresses

The very latest in Fall fashions, smart in line  
and unusual in trimming are these delightful  
Dresses, just unpacked. St. Louis women will  
be more than pleased at this wonderful show-  
ing.

Exquisite Satins, Lovely Flat Crepes  
and the Wanted Crepe-Back Satins

You will adore the colors—  
there are cuckoo, pencil blue,  
cedar, pansy and black. Novel  
cape effects, bright colored  
braids, inverted pleats, godets,  
flare treatment, vestees—long  
fitted sleeves and cut chenille  
combinations.

\$25

A Complete Size Range for  
The Miss and the Woman  
14 to 18 and 36 to 48

### The August Sale of Good Housewares

\$45 Gas Ranges  
High oven, cabinet style,  
large roomy oven, full  
bright broiler, equipped  
with the famous Star gas  
saving burners. Set up  
complete in your home,  
special at  
\$34.95  
Club Plan—\$5.00 Cash—  
\$5.00 Month

\$125 Electric Washers  
"Electric Mandy"—a very  
high-grade copper Washing  
Machine; fully guaranteed  
and equipped with metal  
swinging wringer; very spe-  
cial,  
\$79.95  
Club Plan—\$8.00 Cash—  
\$5.00 Month

Stone Crocks  
Heavy Earthenware Glazed.  
6 gallon—special .95c  
8 gallon—special \$1.38  
10 gallon—special \$1.88  
12 gallon—special \$2.28

Pure Aluminum Kettles  
Made of pure  
quality aluminum.  
6-quart size; panel-  
ed with strong  
ball; \$1 val.  
Very special,  
69c

Oak Kegs  
Best quality  
white oak tight  
sap and charred.  
5 gallon—special \$2.45  
10 gallon—special \$3.35  
15 gallon—special \$3.85

Great Reductions on Refrigerators

\$35.00 Refrigerators  
2-door apart-  
ment-house style;  
large inside  
capacity and  
white enamel  
provision cham-  
ber; very spe-  
cial.  
\$24.50

\$60.00 Refrigerators  
"White Moun-  
tain" 3-door side-  
board; massive,  
100-lb. ice capac-  
ity. Ice com-  
partment seam-  
less white porce-  
lain lining is easy to  
keep clean, while they last.  
\$43.95

\$22.50 Refrigerators  
2-door top-  
board; 60-lb.  
ice capacity  
and white  
enamel pro-  
vision cham-  
ber; special.  
\$17.95

Club Terms on Refrigerators \$5.00 Cash—\$5.00 a Month

\$9.50 Lawn Mowers  
Easy running and self-sharpen-  
ing, with 16-inch crucible steel  
blades on-  
ly 18 of  
them at  
\$6.85

\$5.00 Porch Swing  
A roomy  
and extra  
strong har-  
dened porch  
swing with  
new steel  
couplings,  
etc. Complete  
\$2.85

\$6.95 Garden Hose  
High-grade red rubber,  
5-ply and fully warranted;  
50 feet  
with  
couplings,  
\$4.85

\$1.50 Bottle Cappers  
All steel prac-  
tically indestruc-  
tible; adjustable  
to fit most any  
bottle.  
\$1.00

\$3.75 Screen Doors  
Light oak, natural  
finish, strong frames  
fitted with good  
screen wire; all  
sizes,  
\$2.49

\$5.00 Wash Boilers  
Heavy all-copper, full No.  
8 size; stationary wood han-  
dles; good covers,  
\$3.85

98c Mason Jars  
Quart size,  
with lids and  
rubbers, per  
dozen,  
79c

\$6.95 Cereal Sets  
Imported first quality porce-  
lain; 6 cereal jars, 6 spice jars,  
2 bottles, 1  
salt box,  
15-Piece  
Sets, spe-  
cial,  
\$4.77

\$2.25 Scales  
Hanson, household size;  
gray enameled  
will weigh up  
to 25 lbs. Spe-  
cial,  
\$1.33

### August Fur Sale Coats

But be sure you buy it now.  
You'll be much better satisfied  
with both the styles and the  
prices than if you wait until  
later. For our August Fur Sales  
offer the lowest prices of the  
season.

Savings  
25% to 33%

### August SILK SALE

\$3.50 Black Crepe Satins  
40-inch heavy, rich Black  
Satin Crepe, offered  
Wednesday, yard \$2.98

### The Sale of Beautiful Black Silks Continues

\$2.50 and \$2.98 Qualities

\$2.50 Black Canton Crepe—in a  
splendid weight for dresses. 40  
inches wide \$2.50

\$2.50 Black Satin Charmeuse—in  
a heavy, lustrous finish. 40-inch  
wide \$2.50

\$2.98 Black Crepe Paille Silks—  
40-inch wide \$2.98

\$2.98 Black Brocade Canton Crepe  
—40-inch wide \$2.98

\$2.98 Black Crepe Satins—40-inch  
wide \$2.98

\$2.98 Black Flat Thread Crepe de  
Chines—40-inch wide \$2.98

\$5 and \$5.50  
Black Silks  
Beautiful black Satin  
Crepe, Mirror Satins, and  
Satin Canton \$3.98  
Crepe—all in  
this silk sale...

\$2.00 Black Silks  
40-inch black Satin Char-  
meuse or 36-inch Satin  
Superior Silks, \$1.69  
offered in this  
silk sale (Main Floor, South—Nugents.)

### Adorable for Miss or Matron Smart Fur Felts

Unusual shapes in up-to-  
the-minute Millinery. You  
will be delighted with these  
new, different shapes to be  
found in this group.

Clever cut effects of the Fall  
styles. Turned backs, droops, etc.  
In soft, pliable fur felt. Beautiful  
shades of wood, new blues, sand  
and black.

\$5.95

Other Felts... \$2.95 to \$12.50  
Velour Hats... \$5.00 to \$25.00

Sale of  
Leather  
Handbags  
Special purchase of a wonderful as-  
sortment of pretty Handbags; top  
or back strap style, under-arm or  
semi-pouch style. Every Bag neatly  
lined. In leathers of \$1.87  
Vachette and Persian. \$1.87  
Black, brown, tan and  
gray (Main Floor, North—Nugents.)



The POST-DISPATCH is the only St. Louis evening newspaper giving Associated Press news service.

**Hundreds of New Coats Added Daily, Special at \$58.00**

**Man, 78, Dies on Street.**  
Fred W. Johnson, 78 years old, of 4048 Shaw avenue, fell unconscious on the street at Grand and Russell boulevards, at 7 a. m. today, and was carried into a drug store, where he was pronounced dead, presumably of heart disease. The body was taken to the city morgue and identified by a son-in-law, Leon Ulbright of 3422 Hartford street.

916-918 OLIVE ST.

Wing Chair...\$50

Can be arranged without any interest charge. On this three-piece Suite, specially-priced at \$179, we will allow you to pay as little as \$39 cash, balance of \$140 in ten months—\$14 each month. Or, 2% discount for all cash.

These Suites are made in the Prufrock-Litton factory, each piece is filled with moss, curled hair and white cotton felt—no tow or excelsior is used. The heavy turned legs are of solid walnut. *Think of it—the three pieces for \$179!*

Sacrificed at \$1 are 60 pairs of handsomely quilted satin boudoir slippers in brightest colors; pompon to match; smartly braided on collar; soft elk padded soles and cushion heels assure solid comfort.



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## TRADE-MARK

### T REDUCER

Excess fat causes great discomfort these hot summer days. Get rid of your extra weight by taking RITE-WATE. FAT REDUCER, a harmless tablet made according to a high-grade doctor's prescription. Positively guaranteed to reduce your weight. It will improve your general health, take off the extra weight and add greatly to your appearance.

We have a sworn affidavit on file in our office from the Detroit Testing Laboratory stating that RITE-WATE, FAT REDUCER, is free from any poisonous, metallic salts, barbitic acid, alkaloids or thyroid.

Many people have lost from 10 to 50 pounds (and you can do the same). Don't delay—start using RITE-WATE today.

**Guaranteed Absolutely Harmless—No Thyroid**

Money Refunded if Rite-Wate Does Not Reduce You

**FULL 7 WEEKS' TREATMENT, \$5**  
**NEW SPECIAL SIZE BOX, \$1**

On sale at Wolf-Wilson Drug Co., all Judges & Dealers Drug Stores, Johnson Bros. Drug Company, 7th and St. Charles Sts.; all Eudrie Drug Stores. All other Food Drug Stores.

or Write to STAR SALES CO., INC., 1504 Broadway, Detroit, Mich.

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#### Of Disfiguring Blemishes

#### Use Cuticura

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Our Own Factory

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# PLAN TO STANDARDIZE

## CITIES' TRAFFIC LAWS

Outline of Proposals to Be Considered by Safety Conference Sent to Chief Gerk.

An outline of the traffic standardization proposals to be considered by the National Conference on Street and Highway Safety, in its meeting at Washington in September, was received today by Chief of Police Gerk, delegate to the conference of the International Association of Chiefs of Police of the United States and Canada.

The communication to Chief Gerk embodies the conclusions of a subcommittee which has been preparing a program looking to improvement of traffic conditions throughout the country. The conference is sponsored by the Department of Commerce.

Besides recommending a set scale of fines for various offenses, the subcommittee comments upon other traffic practices in use in various cities. The use of summonses for minor traffic offenses is recommended by the committee. Summonses are used here by the Traffic Department.

**Would Control Licenses.**

The subcommittee recommends that each state place its motor vehicles in charge of a commissioner with sole control over issuance of licenses and the power to revoke them upon his own judgment. Adversing of drivers after examination is recommended strongly as a means of cutting down accidents and revocation of licenses is urged for certain offenses. Following is a schedule of punishments which will be proposed to the conference:

Reckless driving, first offense, fine of \$25 to \$100 or 30 days in jail; second offense, fine of \$50 to \$500, a year in jail and one year suspension of license to drive.

Speeding, first offense, fine of \$5 to \$100; second offense, fine of \$25 to \$100 and 30 days in jail.

Driving while intoxicated, first offense, fine of \$100 to \$1000 and jail sentence from 30 days to a year; second offense, fine of \$100 to \$1000, mandatory jail sentence from three months to one year.

**Fines for Pedestrians.**

Passing street car on left side, first offense, fine from \$25 to \$100; second offense, fine of \$50 to \$500 and suspension of license from six months to a year.

Accident in which injury results where driver is culpable, first offense, fine of \$50 to \$100; second offense, jail for a year and license suspension for 90 days.

Accident where death results, suspension of license pending investigation; suspension for one if driver is at fault.

The subcommittee also recommends a law regulating pedestrians with fines from \$2 to \$25 for violators.

# Sensenbrenner's

## SIXTH & ST. CHARLES

**Clearance**  
**of**  
**92 Smart**  
**Summer**  
**Dresses**  
**Formerly Priced**  
**Up to \$29.75**  
**\$9.85**

Think of it! You can now purchase Dresses that were actually ticketed to sell up to \$29.75, at only \$9.85. And best of all, these are Dresses that you can wear in early Fall. All are fine silks. (Third Floor.)

# DEFENSE IN PICKFORD PLOT

## CASE SEEKS DIRECTED VERDICT

Motion for Acquittal of Trio Based on Section of California Criminal Code.

By the Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 4.—Arguments on a defense motion for an instructed verdict of acquittal were heard in Superior Court today in the case of Charles Stephens, Claude Holcomb and Adrian Wood, charged with plotting to kidnap Mary Pickford and hold her for \$200,000 ransom.

The motion was presented immediately after the prosecution closed its case late yesterday and was based on a section of the California criminal code which states that "no agreement amounts to a conspiracy unless some act beside such agreement be done within this State to effect the object thereof."

It is the contention of defense that, while Stephens, Holcomb and Wood may have exchanged views among themselves, particularly while under the influence of liquor, as to the possibility of kidnapping a screen celebrity, they did not make a single definite move toward consummating their so-called "plot."

From one witness yesterday the defense obtained an admission that the alleged plotters did not even rent the hotel room in which most of the alleged plotting took place. This witness, J. Y. Bedel, hotel manager, testified that the room was rented by Louis Geck, a police informer, and that Geck also rented an adjoining room for the convenience of detectives who listened in on the "plotting" through a physician's stethoscope clapped to a crack in the door.

G. A. R. Chief Protests to Gov. Smith.

By the Associated Press.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Aug. 4.—L. F. Arenberg, national commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, today telegraphed Gov. Smith of New York, protesting against the Governor taking any part in a drive to promote interest in the Stone Mountain Memorial. Commander Arenberg said his telegram was based upon stories, printed in New York newspapers, to the effect that Gov. Smith would make a series of addresses for the Georgia Memorial Association. "I hope you may see your way clear to cancel your engagements, as they appear in the public press, to speak in behalf of the Stone Mountain coinage act, encouraging treason and rebellion and the debasement of the coin of our country," said the telegram.

# STIX, BAER & FULLER

## GRAND-LEADER

# DOWNSTAIRS STORE

# August Sale of Apron Frocks

Begins Wednesday Morning With 6000 Garments  
Regular and Extra Sizes

**Fabrics:**  
Lorna Doone  
Ginghams  
White Cross  
Bar Nainsook  
Flock-Dot Voile  
Black Sateen  
Amoskeag  
Gingham  
Anderson and  
other Ginghams

**Colors:**  
Blue  
Green  
Pink  
Canary  
Orange  
Tan  
Lavender  
Also  
Black and  
White

**S**ELDOM, if ever, have Aprons of such a high character been offered at such an exceedingly low price. The styles, fabrics and workmanship proclaim them truly wonderful values.

Attractively trimmed with hand embroidery, smocking, lace, braids and bandings of contrasting colors and black. Suitable for house, garden, marketing and porch wear.

There are 60 styles to choose from. Every garment is well made, full cut and finished with good hems. All are practical and will launder well. One of the special features is that there are 1800 garments for women who require sizes 46 to 52. On sale in the Downstairs Store.

**Phone Orders Tonight!**

For the convenience of our customers who cannot attend this sale we have arranged to take phone orders from 5:30 to 8:30 P. M. Call Central 6500. In phoning your order please give the letter of Apron and color you prefer.



# 300 Women's Tub Silk Dresses

## Of the Better Sort—Greatly Reduced

### \$6.50

**W**E have priced this group extremely low for quick disposal in order to make room for our new Fall merchandise. Every Dress is fashioned of excellent silk in dark and light grounds.

Included in the color range are the new pansy shades, pencil blue, many shades of red, gray, green, also black and white.

Plain tailored styles and those trimmed with lace, jabots, pleats, tucks and combination of contrasting colors. Short and three-quarter length sleeves. Misses' sizes 14 to 18 and women's sizes 36 to 50 are in the group. These Dresses are very special at the price.

(Downstairs Store.)

# Cotton Goods & Bedding Specials

## In the August Sale

### Pequot Mill Sheets

81x90 Inches  
**\$1.45**

81x99 Inches  
**\$1.65**

These Sheets are well known for their wonderful wearing qualities. Made of good cotton and launder perfectly. Exceptionally low priced.

**Rayon Bedspreads**  
**At \$4.45**

Beautiful Bedspreads with woven Jacquard stripes in combinations of blue, rose and gold. They are 3 yards long with bolster combined; all have scalloped edges. Size 72x108 inches.

**Amoskeag Gingham**  
**At 17c Yard**

The most desirable small checks as well as a good range of plain colors are shown. All fast color and 32 inches wide.

**White Broadcloth**  
**At 25c Yard**

Mercerized white Broadcloth ideal for making sports dresses, shirts, blouses, etc. 36 inches wide and shown in white only.

**3 o'Clock Special**  
**Japanese Tablecloths**  
**At 88c Each**

There are 240 of these blue and white imported Japanese Tablecloths with hemstitched borders; size 60x60 inches; fast colors.

(Downstairs Store.)

# Continuing Wednesday—

## The August Silk Sale

### Wanted Fabrics in a Wide Selection

### \$1.25 Yard

**E**VERY yard included in this group is of the wanted weaves and there is an exceptional color assortment from which to make selection. The woman who fashions her own clothes will have an opportunity in selecting her requirements for her Fall frocks at great savings. In the assortment you will find:

**36-Inch Plain Sports Satin (Artificial).**  
**40-Inch Georgette, all new light shades.**  
**36-Inch Changeable Silk Taffeta.**  
**36-Inch White Sports Satin (Artificial).**  
**40-Inch Silk and Wool Prints.**  
**36-Inch Black Chiffon Taffeta.**  
**36-Inch Colored Silk Messaline.**  
**40-Inch Silk Crepe de Chine.**  
**40-Inch Printed Silk Crepe.**  
**40-Inch Bordered Canton Crepe.**  
**36-Inch Black Satin Duchesse.**

(Downstairs Store.)







# 10c DAY

## My & Gentle

### ADWAY & MORGAN ST.

#### AND REDEEM EAGLE STAMPS

|   |                                 |
|---|---------------------------------|
| 2 Yards 39c<br>Terry Cloth                | 4 Yards 19c<br>SHEETING         |
| 2 Yards for<br><b>50c</b>                 | 4 Yards for<br><b>50c</b>       |
| 3 Yards 29c<br>OUTING                     | 4 Prs. Men's<br>19c SOCKS       |
| 3 Yards for<br><b>50c</b>                 | 4 Pairs,<br><b>50c</b>          |
| Men's 79c<br>UNION SUITS                  | Men's \$1.00<br>Chambray Shirts |
| 5 Yards 19c<br>SILKALINES                 | 4 Yards 19c<br>PERCALES         |
| 5 Yards for<br><b>50c</b>                 | 4 Yards<br><b>50c</b>           |
| 79c-98c<br>APRONS                         | 89c PLAY<br>SUITS               |
| Each <b>50c</b>                           | Each <b>50c</b>                 |
| PANELS                                    | \$1 VACUUM<br>BOTTLES           |
| Each Up to \$3 Values,<br>Each <b>50c</b> | Each <b>50c</b>                 |
| VICTOR<br>RECORDS                         | MUSIC<br>ROLLS                  |
| 2 for<br><b>50c</b>                       | Each <b>50c</b>                 |

### DOES LINOLEUM

\$1.25 four-yard wide  
Burlap back cork linoleum (no paper back)  
—large selection of patterns, square yard,  
**\$2.00 INLAID**  
Special offer of our entire line of  
\$2.00 grade genuine inlaid  
linoleum at \$1.29  
**\$22 Linoleum Rugs**  
Armstrong's or Mahon's Burlap  
back Cork Linoleum Rugs (no paper  
back), subject to mill  
arrangements, each.....**\$12.95**

and \$1.95

### Quick Wash

Save time by washing your clothes the soapless way. A bar of Staufers' some boiling hot water and in a few minutes your clothes are fresh and clean. No rubbing necessary. Guaranteed not to injure the finest fabrics.

Every grocer sells Staufers' One bar of Staufers' equals two of soap. Over a million and a half bars sold in St. Louis last year.

Excellent for washing dishes, cleaning furniture, woodwork, floors, etc.

**USE STAUFERS' LAUNDRY TABLETS**

POST-DISPATCH WANTS supply CAPABLE and EXPERIENCED WORKERS for the OFFICE, STORE, MILL, FACTORY, WAREHOUSE or HOME.

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We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2.00 in Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted

Throughout the Store There Are Specially Purchased Groups of New Fall and Winter Merchandise—Look for the August Sale Tickets

Largest Distributors of Merchandise at Retail in Missouri and the West

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Of Extraordinary Importance to Many Is Our August

## SALE OF WINTER COATS

\$75 to \$125 Values—Wide Choice at.....

This annual event—the foremost opportunity of the year for Winter Coat buying, continues Wednesday, and women and misses who appreciate extraordinary savings, should certainly participate in it. A wealth of the latest fashionable models for the coming season is presented, every garment painstakingly tailored, lined with satin or crepe and trimmed with furs that, in many cases, are worth more than the price of the Coat, and there are juniors' and misses' as well as regular and extra sizes.

### The Favored Materials

—are employed; among them being lustrosa, moiré, sports plaids, vivette, carmelita, duvblon, roulastra camel hair, Neuville and many more.

### Furs Used Lavishly

—including such smart pelts as beaver, gray squirrel, brown, red and kit fox, mole, lynx, Jap mink, caracul and others.

### A \$10 Payment

—will hold any garment selected during this sale until October 1st, when the balance is payable. Coats will be placed in our Cold Storage Vaults until then, without extra charge, assuring their safety.

**\$58**

Fourth Floor

## Two-Trouser Suits

A Vast Collection of Latest Models Obtained From Two Important New York Makers!

\$35 to \$50 Values

**\$29<sup>75</sup>**

Because of the remarkable savings this event provides, the economical man—and the man who takes pride in his grooming—should prepare now for the coming season! Splendid woollens, cut and tailored to conform to our high standard requirements. Suits designed to render long and satisfactory service. All are values so obviously out-of-the-ordinary that even the most casual inspection will convince you of the wisdom of immediate selection.

### Vast Assortment of Styles and Fabrics

This collection affords most gratifying choice of styles—varieties ranging from the ultra-conservative to that of last-minute modelling. Single and double-breasted models, in one, two and three button effects. Fabrics, dark or in high shades—all wool, and in wide variety of weaves and patterns.

### All Sizes

Here are Suits of every size from 34 to 50, including stouts, slims and stubs. So no matter what your proportions, you are certain to find many to fit you perfectly.

### Alterations

Excepting for lengthening or shortening sleeves or trousers, a small extra charge will be made for alterations. This is necessary, because of the extreme nature of the values offered.



Second Floor



An "August Sales" Offering of

## Silver-Plated Ware

\$5 to \$7.50  
Values.....**\$4.45**

300 beautiful pieces from a renowned manufacturer's stock—Silver Plate of high quality—in platinum-color finish. Included are well-and-tree platters, vegetable dishes, gravy boats, water pitchers, candlesticks and many other pieces. A splendid choice, particularly for wedding or anniversary gifts.

Main Floor

Make the Most of the Exceptional Offerings of the August

## Sale of Lamps

—Lamps of Superior Quality at Savings of

**40% to 50%**

The importance of really fine Lamps in home decoration, and the fact that only our August Sales could create such a splendid choice as this, should prompt you to select from these groups.

### Bridge Lamps

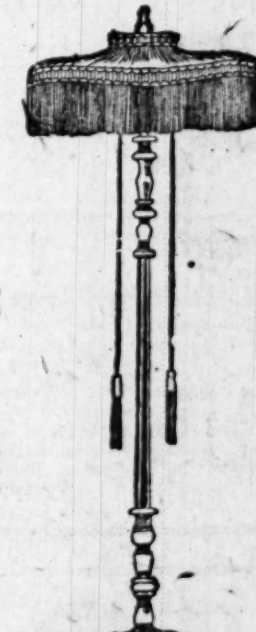
\$65 to \$75 Value.  
Complete.....**\$37.50**  
In these Lamps, beauty is backed by every feature of best workmanship. Hand-wrought iron uprights, with pynx, marble or brass bases. Also wooden Juniors. Silk shades.

### Floor Lamps

\$50 Value.  
Complete.....**\$28.50**  
Choice of bridge or junior styles, with hand-carved, richly finished bases and silk shades of intricate detail and attractive soft colorings.

\$27.50 to \$30 Bridge Lamps, complete.....**\$15.85**  
\$100 Handsome Junior Lamps, complete.....**\$49.50**  
\$32.50 to \$38.50 Floor Lamps, complete.....**\$19.75**

Fifth Floor



The Second Day to Profit Splendidly in Our August Sale of

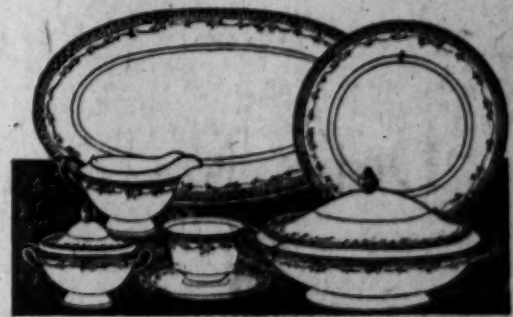
## Dinnerware

—Offering Large Assortments of Imported and Domestic Wares at Positive Savings—Deferred Payments on Sets \$25 or More, If Desired.

\$45 Dinner Sets

**\$25**

Choice of seven patterns—either border or gold band effects—in 100-piece Sets of American semi-porcelainware. All handles are of coin gold.



### Cottage Sets

\$9.00 Value.....**\$5.00**

Yellow-rose patterned Cottage Dinner Sets of 16 pieces—complete service for six. Durable ware.

### Dinner Sets

\$22.00 Value.....**\$12.50**

50-piece Sets from a renowned maker — American semi-porcelainware, decorated with wide border and coin gold handles.



### Dinner Sets

\$50.00 Value.....**\$28.50**

Japanese china Sets of excellent grade, with gold band design and gold handles; 100 pieces—service for 12.

### Breakfast Sets

\$5.00 Value.....**\$3.25**

26-piece Sets including 6 each cups, saucers, fruit dishes, pitcher, and a meat dish and vegetable dish.

## \$125 Dinner Sets

**\$69**

100-piece Sets of Bavarian China—a ware always highly prized. Distinctive wide border with gold line edge and mat gold-covered handles. Footed plain shape.

Fifth Floor

Wednesday—Savings in Staple

## Laundry Needs

### Boilers

\$6.00 Value.....**\$4.44**

Heavy all-copper Wash Boilers with strong stationary wooden handles and tin cover.

### Baskets

\$1.65 Value.....**\$1.00**

Well-made Clothes Baskets of willow, with finished top and strong end handles.

\$1.55 Galvanized Wash Tubs.....**96c**  
25c Clothes Props, 8 ft.....**3 for 50c**  
\$3.25 Square Clothes Hampers.....**\$2.29**  
55c "Keystone" Clotheslines, 60-foot.....**36c**  
80c "Universal" Washboards.....**59c**  
\$7.50 Iron-Frame Clothes Wringers.....**\$5.25**  
\$4.40 Folding Wash Benches.....**\$3.39**  
95c Large Wash Tubs, galvanized.....**66c**  
\$1.95 Folding Ironing Boards.....**\$1.51**  
Crystal White Soap Chips.....**3 pkgs., 54c**  
Chipso, large size.....**3 pkgs. for 59c**  
Star Washing Powder.....**3 pkgs. for 60c**

(No Phone or Mail Orders Accepted for Soap or Washing Powders)

Basement Gallery



## Economy-Wise Motorists! The August Sale of A. T. C. Cord Tires

Offers Savings You Will Value

This announcement means that you should supply your Tire needs now. Values offered are extraordinary, as the items quoted will indicate.

Sold on 10,000-Mile Adjustment Basis

| Size     | Tires Tubes                   |
|----------|-------------------------------|
| 30x3 1/2 | Cinchler, Reg. \$ 9.85 \$1.69 |
| 30x3 1/2 | Cinchler, O. S. 11.95 1.59    |
| 30x3 1/2 | S. S. 12.92 1.95              |
| 32x4 1/2 | S. S. 14.50 1.95              |
| 32x4 1/2 | S. S. 15.50 2.45              |
| 32x4 1/2 | S. S. 17.95 2.60              |
| 32x4 1/2 | S. S. 18.50 2.75              |
| 32x4 1/2 | S. S. 22.95 3.10              |
| 32x4 1/2 | S. S. 23.50 3.50              |
| 32x4 1/2 | S. S. 23.95 3.40              |
| 32x4 1/2 | S. S. 24.95 3.50              |
| 32x4 1/2 | S. S. 25.50 3.60              |
| 32x4 1/2 | S. S. 27.50 3.70              |
| 32x4 1/2 | S. S. 27.95 3.90              |



Polarine  
5-Gal. Can \$3.09  
The well-known super-fuel-offered in medium grade, at this low price

Sixth Floor



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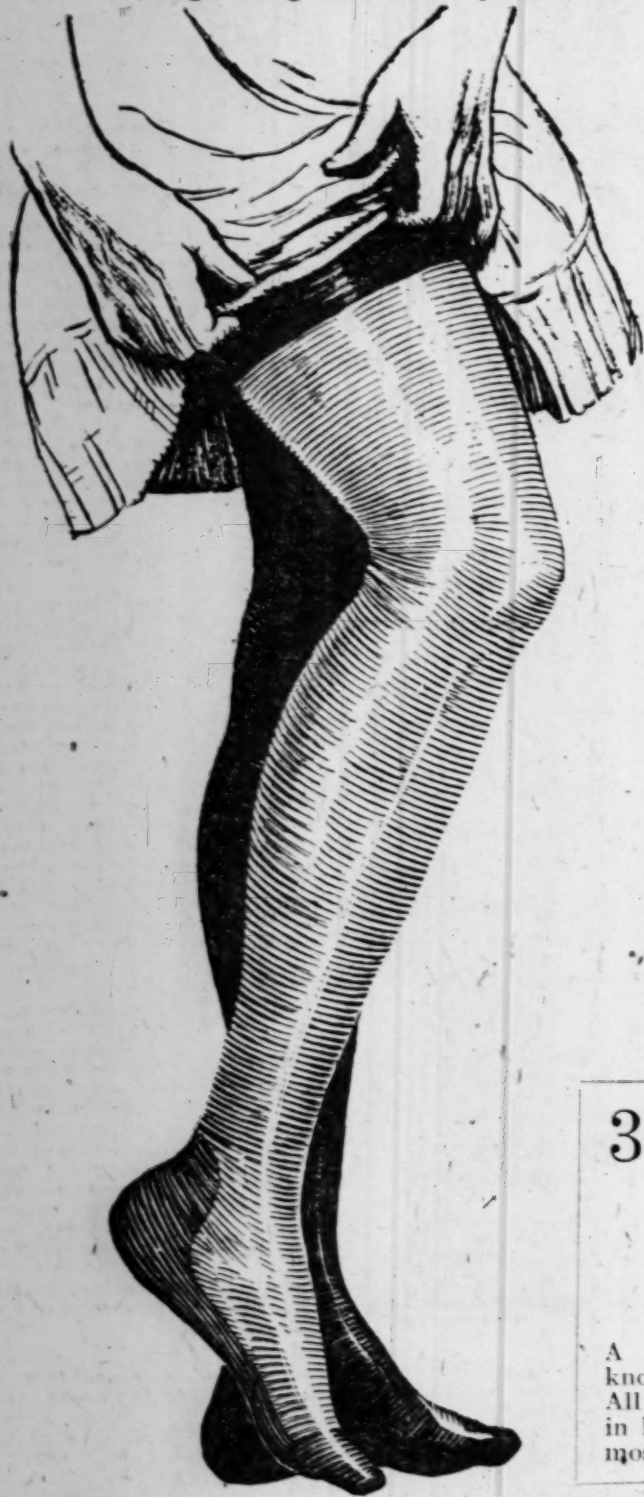
Beginning Wednesday—An Annual Feature of This Month's Value-Giving Campaign—Offering Extraordinary Possibilities for Economical Buying—Our

## August Sale of Hosiery

Presenting 24,000 Pairs of Women's and Children's Hose—At Savings of Compelling Interest

Hosiery of so many kinds are included in these August Sale groups that practically all needs may be filled. Included are the popular weights and many fashionable colors as well as black and white. This is one of the largest Hosiery events of the year, offering many special values besides those described below.

The makes include the renowned "McCallum," "Onyx," Topsy, Monarch, Burlington, our exclusive "Surety" pure thread Silk Hose and Famous-Barr Co.'s special brand. No mail or phone orders will be accepted.



\$2 to \$2.75  
Chiffon Hose  
**\$1.55**

A complete selection of this Fashion-favored type of Hose—sheer, finely woven chiffon weight, full-fashioned of pure silk, with silk tops and soles. In staple black and white and a remarkable assortment of thirty plain colors.

\$1.75 to \$2.50  
Silk Hose  
**\$1.35**

Pure thread and ingrain Silk Hose in chiffon, sheer, medium and heavy service weight. Full fashioned to fit snugly and with lisle or silk garter tops and soles. In black, white and twenty of plain colors.

\$1.65 to \$1.95  
Silk Hose  
**\$1.19**

Full-fashioned pure thread silk Hose in sheer, chiffon, medium and heavy weight. Also a limited number of pairs of ingrain silk Hose. The majority with lisle tops and soles. In black, white and twenty-four colors.

\$1.35 to \$1.50  
Silk Hose  
**\$1.00**

Women's full-fashioned all-silk Hose in sheer as well as medium service weight—all with lisle tops and soles. Choice of black, white and street and costume colors. A group from which prompt selection would be advisable.

3000 Pairs Silk Hose  
Irregulars of \$1.35 to \$1.75 Grades..... **95c**

A selection of remarkable interest—various well-known makes in chiffon, sheer and medium weights. All full fashioned styles, with lisle tops and soles—and in black and colors. Some Hose with lace clocks—mostly in black—are included.

Children's 50c to 60c Hose  
Fine and wide-ribbed Hose of mercerized cotton, in medium weight; black, white and several popular colors. Heavy cotton Hose are in black only—the pair..... **35c**

Children's 35c to 75c Socks  
An assortment from which mothers may choose a variety of kinds—in fact, there are too many to mention here. The majority are in 3/4 and 7/8 length, with fancy tops—pair..... **29c**

3000 Pairs Silk Hose  
Irregulars of \$1.85 to \$2.50 Grades..... **\$1.15**

Highly profitable selection of celebrated makes of Hose—thread or ingrain silk, with lisle and silk garter tops. All are full-fashioned and there are chiffons, "service-chiffons," medium weights and heavy weights in black and a wide assortment of hues.

Main Floor

### On Wednesday—Baby Day—We Always Offer Very Special Values in Infants' Apparel and Accessories

—of the Dainty and Practical Varieties That Appeal to Mothers!

Sample Crib Blankets

Provide Savings of **1/3**

Combed cotton—also part or all wool Blankets—in white or blue plaids. Variety of sizes. Some slightly soiled. \$1.95 to \$3.95 grades.

69c Slips or Petticoats

All of hainsook Slips are hainsook and lace edged. Petticoats in Gertrude style; lace trimmed. Sizes, in fancy to 2 years. Special at **49c**

Infants' \$7 Crib

Ivory finished wooden Crib; metal cane panels and painted head decorations. Good wire springs and rubber-tired wheels. Special at..... **\$5.45**

\$1, \$1.25 Zimmerli Bands

Barrel-shaped Bands of imported wool gauze; non-shrinkable; all fitted with diaper tabs and narrow shoulder straps; sizes from infancy to 3 years. **89c**

\$7 Jansen Nursery Scales

Scales with blue-enamelled base, have white canvas weighing basket; weighing capacity is 25 pounds. Special, Wednesday at..... **\$5**



Eiderdown Buntings

Samples, at Savings of **1/3**

Lovely ripple eiderdown—white, pink or buff. Each bunting lined throughout, and made with hood. All ribbon bound and exquisitely finished.

49c Crocheted Booties

Handmade of fine zephyr yarns, in medium length. Each pair attractively trimmed in pink or blue effect. On sale **29c** Wednesday, special..... **29c**

\$2.25 Bird's-Eye Diapers

—of popular Red Star brand; size 24x24 inches, hemmed and ready for use; very absorbent and sanitary. Pack age of one dozen at..... **\$1.82**

Infants' \$3 Costumers

In ivory enamel finish; 42 inches high, with four-leg base and 8 hanging spindles. Attractive head decorations. Wednesday at..... **\$2.39** Third Floor

### Many More Women and Misses Should Select From These \$3.50 to \$6 Handbags

In the August Sale at



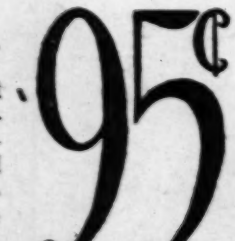
An event offering splendid selection of Bags for Fall—so many new and smart styles that these savings gain interest far out of the ordinary. Pouch, under-arm, gate-top, "Pandora", vanity and many more of excellent leathers in dark, medium and bright colors.



### Printed Cork Linoleums

4 Yards Wide—\$1.15 and \$1.25 Values, Sq. Yd.

One of the most noteworthy offerings of the August Sales in this Section. Four-yard-wide Printed Cork Linoleum of heavy quality; width, sufficient to cover the average room—presented in splendid assortment of colors and patterns suitable for any room in which linoleum is required. Block effects and small allover designs on blue and tan grounds.



Special Group of Men's Hose

50c Value

**39c**

3 Pairs for \$1.10

2400 pairs of serviceable silk-mixed Hose, offered in plain shades, including white, French tan, cordovan, gray, Palm Beach, black and navy. Semi-finished and reinforced with double sole, heel and toe; mercerized elastic ribbed tops. All sizes. Main Floor

### Basement Economy Store

The Basement Men's Store Offers Extra Values in Men's and Young

### Men's 2-Trouser Suits

Choice **\$14.50**  
at.....

Two-trouser Suits that can be worn the year 'round, being tailored of wool and wool-mixed materials, such as flannel, cassimere and cheviot. Choice of stripes and mixtures, as well as fancy effects in colors of brown, gray, blue and black. Select from the popular English straightline, form-fitting and conservative styles, with two and three button coats.

Sizes for men and young men, 14 years to 42 chest, practical because of the extra trousers, which mean extra wear

Basement Economy Store



Women and Misses Should See These New

### Fall Dresses

Special Values at **\$9.00**



Attractive Dresses in straightline and flared styles, with long and short sleeves. They are cleverly fashioned of the favored weaves, such as Canton crepe, satin Canton, and neat broad crepe. Among the colors are cuckoo, cocoa, pencil blue, the very popular pansy and the practical black.

Sizes range from 16 to 48.

Basement Economy Store

August Sale of Men's

### \$1.95 and \$2.45 Shirts

Extra Value at **\$1.39**

Shirts that have arrived in time for the August Sale. Of imported English broadcloth in fancy stripes, plain colors and white, also fiber striped madras Shirts, cotton seersucker and other fabrics. Offered in the newest fall patterns and you may choose from neck-band and collar attached styles. There are various sleeve lengths and sizes 13 1/2 to 17 are included.

Anticipate Shirt Needs Wednesday!

Basement Economy Store



PART TWO.

### GREEK TROOPS MOVING TOWARDS BULGARIAN BORDER

Athens Government Acts as Result of Assassination of One of Its Citizens in Bulgaria.

THREAT MADE TO SEIZE TOWNS

Bulgarian Foreign Minister Expresses Regret Over Incident and Promises to Punish Offenders.

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Word has reached here from Athens that the Government has pointed out the possibility of seizing Bulgarian frontier towns in retaliation for the killing of Nicolaides unless reparation is made. While one report from the Greek capital is that the Bulgarian reception of the demand has not been made favorably, a dispatch from Sofia, the Bulgarian capital, says that in reply to the Greek communication, Foreign Minister Kaloff has expressed regret over the assassination and promised that all measures would be taken to punish the offenders.

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Exchange of Populations. Under a voluntary agreement for the exchange of populations between the two Governments, Dendramis explained, about 6000 Greek residents of Bulgaria are scheduled to depart for their homeland by mid-October. In Greece, he said, the recent murders were looked upon as designed to terrorize the Greeks into leaving in haste, thus affording an opportunity for the confiscation of their property.

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Secretary of the Navy Wilbur arrived at Corinto on the Henderson, on which he is making the return trip from San Diego.

Five commissioned and non-commissioned officers and 129 enlisted men constitute the guard. At the outbreak there was a somewhat large number, the marines assisting in putting down a revolution. They were first sent to Nicaragua at the request of the Managua authorities, who claimed to be unable to maintain order. Throughout the 13 years marines have been stationed at Managua, the Central American republic has been free from serious revolutionary outbreaks.

On one occasion the marines got into a serious quarrel, resulting in the death and injury of several Nicaraguans and injury of some Americans. A court-martial followed and the commanding officer and a large part of his force were replaced.

The United States Government planned to withdraw the marines from Nicaragua in November, 1923. The Managua President urged the marines at that time, fearing a revolution, to remain. Nicaragua has taken steps to organize a national guard, with American supervising the work.

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## A UNIQUE CHAPTER OF AMERICAN HISTORY

# "The Rise and Fall of Jesse James"

By ROBERTUS LOVE

While Poses Press on  
Their Heels, Jameses and  
Youngers Travel by  
Horseback and on Foot  
Through Minnesota  
Swamp Lands in an Effort  
to Leave the State.

### CHAPTER XX.

**D**OWN in Missouri the business of pursuing the bandits after a raid had become more or less perfunctory. Though the Pinkertons always slithered about assiduously in the hope of catching or killing an off-guard James or Younger, the general public had come to feel that it was an idle industry. The success of the raid on Clay and Jackson counties, with their official staffs, though never altogether discouraged, agreed in the main with the general public.

"What's the use?" seemed to be the too-long-for-utterance response to the beyond-state demand that the band be broken up. "If you want 'em caught, come in and catch 'em yourselves," was the challenge flung back at Outlanders: "but if you do come and try it, bring along your own coffin or the coffin to buy 'em."

Missouri knew a wuzz's nest when she heard it buzz. Up in Minnesota the case was different. For the first time Minnesota had experienced a charge of the light brigade from Missouri; and the Northern State made up its mind that this must be also the last time. Once was enough! Two of Northfield's innocent citizens had been slain by the invaders, the lives of many others imperiled by the poor marksmanship of the veteran fighters. On the other hand two brave Northfielders had taken gory toll of the marauders. Minnesota had proved that she also could shoot some. Missouri, the Fighting State, must be taught a salutary lesson to the general if not specific effect that her trigger-finger was not to be taken as this great republic's pre-eminent digit in the doing of deeds of daring, desperate-wise or otherwise.

### Stirring Man Hunt Begins.

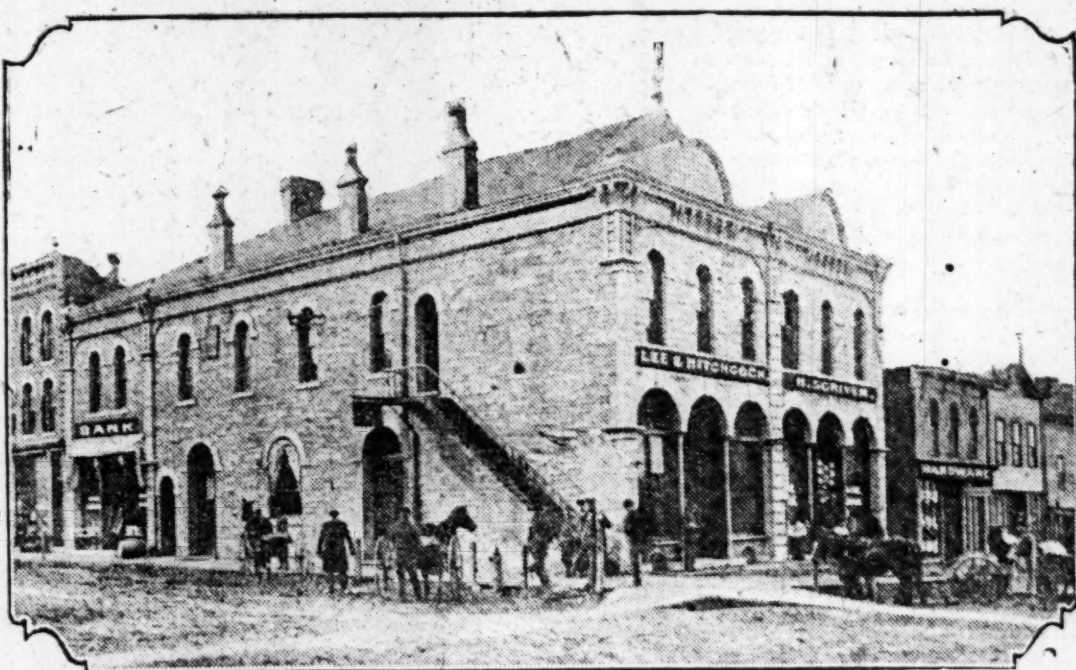
There was nothing of languor in the preparations of the Minnesotans, beginning at Northfield and spreading outwards in a large arc west and south, to keep the remaining Missourians from getting back home. Determination, grim and relentless, was the watchword. The pursuit began at the Missouri border had outraged and enraged Southern Minnesota beyond forgiveness. They must be killed or caught—it made little difference which. In either event, extermination for public sentiment was strong for the gallows in case of capture. Now began a man-hunt unique in the annals of America. At its outset the Minnesotans underestimated the task. They supposed that the bandits, after their escape from the Missouri border, were there was that James in Mankato who had recognized Jesse James. They knew that most if not all of the escaping six had been wounded by Northfield bullets. They knew, as they had high reason to know, the desperate situation of the men—that they would fight for their lives to the ultimate round of ammunition.

But the Minnesotans did not know the well-nigh superhuman resourcefulness of their quarry. They did not know to what height of superlative degree these frustrated bank raiders were able to suffer, to endure, in their efforts to escape death by lead or hemp. The pursuit began as a new sort of holiday pastime—not a picnic, to be sure, yet in the nature of a pleasurable outdoor recreational junket. As the days passed it grew into a proposition considerably more serious, and long before it had settled down into a near-military campaign undertaken in a state of unpreparedness.

### Thousand Men in the Field.

Approximately a thousand men, according to contemporary estimates, took the field against the bandits. Not all of them were in the service simultaneously, but the large number were on duty here, there and yonder in the Southern section of Minnesota at some time or other in that astounding two weeks' chase. Some went out for adventure pure though hardly simple. Some for the sake of winning the large rewards offered, and many others from a sense of civic duty. Many were inefficient, hindering instead of helping. Others were timid and farsighted, abandoning the enterprise at the first sign of probable peril. But hundreds of these Minnesotans were highly efficient men-hunters, and scores of them gave conclusive proof that they were not afraid to stalk even Jesse James himself, if given opportunity and ammunition.

Let us remember that the Northfield raid took place on Thursday afternoon, Sept. 7, which was just two months after the physically



First National Bank, Northfield, Minn., from a photograph taken about the time of the raid by the James-Younger band in 1876.

safe and financially successful train robbery near Ottumwa, in Missouri. Two months from high tide of prosperous outlaws to tidal wave of disaster and semi-annihilation! The time was not long, but the riders had ridden hard and far and now they were riding hardly at all, and in slow, unshowy style at that; and at times they were walking and limping, leaving trails of blood from their own wounds. Minnesota was different from Missouri. Because they found things "too hot" for them, as the survivors expressed it later, in the western direction which they had chosen beforehand as their route of escape, the bandits fled from Northfield by the Dundas road. Dundas was a small village three miles to the south. The desperados were glad to find any route open. They were compelled to abandon the plan to stop by the Northfield telegraph office and destroy the apparatus which presently would be sending out to all neighboring towns a warning to look out for six men on five horses.

### A Dash for Water.

Three before nightfall small squads of pursuers saw the fleeing robbers. Faribault, county seat of Rice, having been notified by wire, sent out a party. These men had entered a house at Shieldsville, about 15 miles west of Northfield, for refreshments. Apparently they were not expecting the fugitives to show their faces south of the river. What ever their faults, the Missourians never were guilty of such carelessness. Suddenly the six dashed up, drew water for their horses at the pump near by, each man gulping down a reviving swig, and after firing a volley of bullets at the pump—which would have been killed instantly had it been animated—they tore away, westward.

### Two Against Six.

It so happened that the first pursuers, from Shieldsville, were mounted on the horses of the slain outlaws, Stiles and Miller. These fine beasts tore gladly out after their comrades, carrying their riders in sight of the fugitives before the cavalry squad reached Dundas. It was two against six. Northfield men found it difficult to hold back the eager animals. Wisdom dictated discretion, and the two pursuers waited for reinforcements. The squad rode out of sight and got a start of several miles before the larger posse from Northfield reached Dundas. Not far down the road from the point where Bob Younger found his mount the six horsemen stopped in front of a farmhouse. "We're thieves," said a spokesman bandit, "and we want to borrow a saddle for this young man. He didn't have time to get his saddle when he joined us, and he has been thrown off and got his arm hurt."

### Younger's Hard Luck.

Below Dundas the raiders turned down a road leading westward. By 4 p. m. the town of Millersburg, where some of the outlaws had spent the night before the bank raid, witnessed their wild dash through its main street and out southwestwardly. The hotel man who had been host to one small division of the confederation stood upon his front porch and peered into the faces of the ill-dressed riders. He recognized those who had put up at his place, and vaguely he wondered why they were riding through town at such a hell-to-split pace and why there were twice as many men in the party.

Bob Younger certainly was having hard luck that day, despite his temporary pickup of horse and saddle. The impressed mount presently lost his ambition, stumbled, fell, and Younger's crushed elbow gave another jolt. The fall broke the saddle girth. Younger was helped up behind a member of the band who was considerably lighter than Big Brother Cole.

### Robbers Get New Horses.

The job of picking had to be done over. Those in command threw their forces south of the river, west and southwest, forced marches being made through mud and rain. One posseman who had fought under Stonewall Jackson in Virginia and who now found himself in a predicament, organized the Patriotic Union of Haiti and leader in the effort to rid Haiti of the American military occupation, was announced yesterday in a cable received by The Nation, a week's publication, from J. J. Johnson, editor of the Courier Haitien of Port au Prince, Haiti.

### Big Wheat Crop in Saskatchewan.

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### On Foot for First Time.

Rainfall continued through the night. The bandits had a most uncomfortable time of it. They spread saddle blankets over a clump of bushes and beneath this sorry shelter got a little sleep. Their three remaining horses they tied to trees. When they broke camp Saturday morning they left the animals tied. Now for the first time the six men set out on foot. Missouri cavalry became infantry. Three days later a party of ten chasers happened along and found one horse still hitched to a tree, the other two had escaped, having gnawed through their halter straps. It was a march most tedious and slow for the fugitives on Saturday. During most of the day they sequestered themselves upon a damp little isle in a swamp. That night they traveled tediously, or rather they waded, and after daylight on Sunday they made camp a few miles south of the hamlet of Marysville. At night they resumed their march, making about nine miles by midnight—a march which even Stonewall Jackson, taking into consideration the condition of the men and the state of the weather, would have pronounced a fine feat of endurance.

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Declare Agriculture Is Unable to Bear Rate Burden  
Now Imposed by Railroads.

By the Associated Press.

DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 4.—Resolutions calling upon the Interstate Commerce Commission to refuse the petition of Western Railroad for an increase in freight rates were adopted by the Iowa Farm Committee of 24 farm organizations here, yesterday. The committee, which represents 24 organizations in the corn belt, said that agriculture is not merely asking for a square deal but is fighting for a chance to exist.

"Not only is agriculture," the resolutions say, "not only in a position to assume increased freight burdens, but it is not able to carry the freight burdens levied on it at this time."

The committee characterized as "propaganda" statements that farmers are on the high road to prosperity. They asked that members of Congress from the corn states not to introduce bills affecting agriculture until the Congressmen have conferred with members of the committee.

"We think the time has come," says the resolution, "when the various farm organizations should act jointly in demanding a seat on the Chicago and other boards of trade."

An invitation was extended to organizations in the cotton and tobacco producing states to join in the fight for better farm conditions.

A subcommittee was appointed to employ whatever counsel seems necessary to present the farmers' case before the Interstate Commerce Commission when it holds a preliminary hearing on increased freight rates in Chicago Sept. 15.

A committee consisting of Milo Reno of the Iowa Farmers' Union, Des Moines, William Hirtz of the Missouri Farmers' Association, Columbia, Mo., Thomas Cashman of the American Council of Agricultural, Owatonna, Minn., and C. E. Seward of the Nebraska Farm Bureau, Lincoln, was appointed to make a study of the cost of producing farm commodities in corn belt states.

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# VOLUNTARY TRADING OF MINORITIES IN BALKANS HASTENED BY OUTRAGES

Greek Government Sanctions Persecution to Force Emigration of Macedonians and Thracians Provided at Geneva.

By JUNIUS B. WOOD,  
Special Correspondence of the  
Post-Dispatch and the Chicago  
Daily News.

SVILENGRAD, Bulgaria, June 24.—"I've killed a little Bulgarian dog," calmly remarked a Greek gunman who had just shot a 12-year-old girl.

The murder was committed in the village of Evrinskoy on March 8, a Sunday and a day on which the orthodox Catholic peasant does not work and the villages are given over to worship and simple amusements. Radka Kurtova had coaxed a coin from her parents and, happy in her Sunday finery, had gone to the village square to purchase a handful of sweets. As she walked slowly under the trees where other children were playing, she was fired and she fell. She died almost instantly.

Women ran to pick up the child. Most of the women were quick to seize a young stranger who stood unconcerned a few feet away. He said his name was Yari Kabardil. He made no effort to run away. Greek soldiers who were near by came up and took possession of the murderer to protect him from the outraged villagers.

"I've killed a little Bulgarian dog," he calmly explained to the soldiers. They were peaceful. The soldiers escorted him away. The stricken parents carried the dead child to their home.

### The Murderer Allowed to Depart.

That night, the villagers reported, the Greek commander went to the house and, despite the supplications of the parents, who wanted a Christian burial service for their child, took the body by force and buried it in a dark oak. The Greek gunman disappeared.

The above is a synopsis of Report No. 3377-4 to the mixed commission of the League of Nations. The commission has many other similar in character.

The treaty of Neuilly, of 1919, provides for the exchange of minorities between Greece and Bulgaria. The Geneva protocol of 1924 specifying the exchange shall be voluntary. The treaty of Lausanne, of 1923, provides for compulsory emigration between Greece and Turkey. Any citizen of those countries who is not of the same race, stock or of the same religion as the dominant element in the country is classed as part of a minority. Families of those minorities in Macedonia or Thracian Thrace which now are Greek territory, though their ancestors have lived there for centuries, are being driven into Bulgaria because they use the Slavic language in their churches, schools and homes and because they recognize the Bulgarian instead of the Greek patriarch as the head of their church.

### By No Means a Fair Exchange.

The arithmetic of the exchange of minorities between Greece and Bulgaria shows at a glance that there is no exchange. Less than 15,000 Greeks, mostly shopkeepers, have left Bulgaria for Greece and about 200,000 Macedonians and Thracians, mostly farmers, have emigrated from Greece to Bulgaria. The figures for 11 months ended Nov. 30, 1924, show that 9036 Greeks left Bulgaria, while 20,351 Macedonians and 7478 Thracians entered Bulgaria. The figures show that the Greeks want to leave Bulgaria and they are not compelled to do so. At present 32,000 are in the process of being replaced with mattresses.

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that country and have elected to remain. The Macedonians and Thracians do not want to leave their homes in Greece, but are forced to do so.

The difference in the figures of the so-called exchange is accounted for by what is called "voluntary" emigration. The murder of children, the outraging of women, the imprisonment of fathers, the forcible removal of entire villages to desolate Greek islands, slow starvation and unending persecutions are incentives to this emigration. Desperate, like the gunman who killed little Radka Kurtova, do not discover the authorities have a habit of accusing the villagers of responsibility and using the crime as a pretext for expelling hundreds of families from their homes and lands.

### Stream of Pitiful Victims.

Svilengrad, a little frontier railroad station on the Maritza river, is the gateway through which some emigrants pass from Greece to Bulgaria. The human stream has been flowing for more than a year, some days a few hundred, other days several thousands. The emigrants bring only what they can carry—a few household possessions, a blanket or a straw mat to sleep on and clothing in rags. They have been despoiled of their habitations, their livestock, their carts and tools, their fields and crops. Their village communities have been broken up and many a family leaves members who have died from hardships or been imprisoned.

Until they become helpless victims of the treaties which the great Powers dictated, they were peaceful, prosperous, God-fearing peasants. Now the men are distraught and hopeless, children are sick or dying from lack of food and the women are prematurely aged and broken. In jolting freight cars, under trees along the road or under tents, mothers give birth to children, that they cannot nurse. Starvation and terror have dried their breasts.

Rarely in the stress and devastation of war is seen such misery as passes through Svilengrad every day, in the dust or mud of summer and the snow of winter. When the Greeks were deported from Asia Minor, a sympathetic world responded to the appeals for assistance. Christianity was appealed.

### Religious Difference the Cause.

The emigration of today is accelerated by war's campaigns. It is a heartless campaign of peace. It goes on in the name of Christianity—religion being largely a political division in this part of the world. Though victims and persecutors are of the same orthodox Catholic church, there is a rivalry of patriarchs. It is a campaign of spoliation. The victims are weak and the persecutors are strong enough to take them. The emigration is not only under the auspices of the League of Nations, but, according to the league's reports, is speeded up by that organization.

Except by a few French newspapers which recently voiced their horror, little has been said of the deportations from Greece. The American and British relief organizations working in Greece have their hands full and what they have accomplished makes a pleasant contrast to the recital of what they cannot prevent.

### BANCROFT'S BODY TO TOKIO

Will Lie in State at Cathedral; Messages of Condolence Numerous.

By the Associated Press. TOKIO, Aug. 4.—The body of Edgar A. Bancroft, American Ambassador to Japan, who died in Kariunawa last week, will arrive in Tokio on Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 on a special Government car escorted by a committee from the Foreign Office.

From the station a military guard of honor will accompany the body to St. Andrews pro-cathedral, where it will lie in state until the departure for the United States. The Emperor and Empress have sent a wreath and hundreds of messages of condolence have been received from all parts of Japan.

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## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The name and address of the author must accompany every contribution, but on request will not be published. Letters not exceeding 200 words will receive preference.

## Disputes Kansas City Bus Superiority.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

YOUR editorial, "Kansas City Shows the Way," seems to take for granted that the Kansas City bus system will better serve the public than the system operated by the People's Motorbus Co. of St. Louis because the Kansas City service will be "co-ordinated" with that of the street railway system.

Such an assumption is unwarranted by any established experience. Urban transportation experts are by no means unanimously of the opinion that all public transportation services in a city should be "co-ordinated." In many cases that would be utterly impracticable, and the best results for the citizens would not be secured. The facts are that although a number of American cities have this "co-ordinated" bus service, the most useful, efficient, popular and successful bus systems are those that are not "co-ordinated." Leaving St. Louis out of consideration, London, Paris, New York, Chicago and Detroit are the outstanding bus systems of the world. While it is true that the London General Omnibus Co. is allied with the "tubes" and with a minor tramway system and that the street railways and omnibus system of Paris are both operated by the Omnibus Co., there is in neither case anything resembling what the electric railway people here term "co-ordination." In nearly two decades that have elapsed since it has been entirely practicable for one of the American street railway systems has established a motorbus service that can compare in quality or in value to the public it serves with any one of those mentioned. It is an encouraging sign that the times that 1925 will see several ambitious projects of this character undertaken by street railway systems, Kansas City among them. But it will be well to await the experience of at least a year before assuming that they will be the greatest successes that it is hoped they will be.

It can hardly be questioned that the most enlightened public opinion in this city supported the city authorities in permitting the establishment of an independent omnibus system, and it is altogether unlikely that if this had not been done St. Louis would have had any substantial improvement in its public transportation facilities for several years to come. The recent endorsement of the city of the street railway system in securing bus extensions is an eleven-hour recognition of its past delinquencies for which the people of St. Louis can thank the city authorities in permitting the establishment of an independent system. There is no legal or other reason why such extensions could not have been made in the past except the absence of a competitor to show the way. Thus the People's Motorbus Co. is serving St. Louis in a dual if partly vicarious capacity.

RICHARD W. MEADE,  
President The People's Motorbus Co. of St. Louis.

## In Behalf of Flat Dwellers.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

MR. FLAT OWNER is evidently another water meter company booster, a curse to St. Louis. Flat dwellers are now loaded with enough burdens. My appeal was in their behalf only. Personally, I am owner of six houses, with 12 honest tenants, as well as my own private residence, charge moderate rentals, and contented to pay water license under present system. Reference where water meters are used reveals outrageous single flat owners know nothing about.

GEORGE A. DAVIES.

## Advices Matrimony.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

IN answer to "Broken-Hearted," I would say: Marry the only man you ever loved. You are evidently a woman of experience, and it won't harm you to take a chance.

Perhaps you are the cause of his drinking. Some men down their troubles that way. You admit he would be a wonderful man were it not for his weakness. It must be a wonderful thing to love. Take him for better or worse, and bring, or try to bring, out those good qualities you say he possesses. Be a sport, and be happy for a while at least. We all take chances.

MRS. K. MORGAN.

## Tenants Waste Water.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

TENANTS in my flat do pay the water rate. It is covered in the rent. In a properly ordered business, the property owner would install the water meter as he now installs heating plants, gas and electric ranges, lighting fixtures, screens, window shades, etc. The tenant would pay for the water he used, just as he pays for gas and electricity now.

When the tenant takes water on a flat rate, he wastes it and someone must pay for the waste. So, from all points of view, owner, tenant, taxpayer, the metered water service is most economical. If I did not think that Mr. Wall's proposition would save me money I would not support it.

## "OUR SPORTING THEORY OF LAW."

If the Crime Commission proposed by Judge Gary and his associates is established, it will not, of course, overlook the crime-breeding tendencies inherent in the antiquated methods that govern the administration of criminal law in the United States. For an authoritative statement on the law's defects and delays, the commission need indulge in no recitatory research; the facts are set out clearly and convincingly in a report recently prepared by a committee of eminent students of the law, headed by Chancellor Hadley of St. Louis, for submission to the American Law Institute.

Many causes have contributed to the appalling growth of crime in the United States. To name them all and assign to each its due weight is manifestly impossible. But no one who has made even a casual study of the subject, no thoughtful reader of the daily newspapers, can doubt that a large share of the blame must be attached to the hair-splitting procedure of the courts. There is tragic grotesquerie in a system under which, according to competent testimony, five offenders escape for every one who is caught and convicted.

The inordinate legal safeguards thrown about the defendant in this country are an inheritance from the defendant in England when excessive punishment was meted out for the most trivial offenses. They were amply justified in those days. When the loss of an ear was the penalty for a misdemeanor, certainly the defendant was entitled to take advantage of any means of escape. The trouble is that the practice of invoking fine technicalities has survived when the occasion for it has long since disappeared. We have continued a medieval system under modern conditions. Hence we have such perversions of justice as the granting of appeals on the flimsiest of technical "errors," and the dismissal of indictments because of the misspelling or omission of a word.

We are afflicted with what the late John D. Lawson, learned dean of the Missouri University Law School, used to call "the sporting theory of justice." Trials in many instances, so far from being a dispassionate sifting of evidence, become a mere contest of wits between lawyers, where points are scored as in a boxing match. Such a conception of justice is the natural outgrowth of the technicalities which have fastened themselves on legal procedure.

Simplification, as lawyers of the highest standing have repeatedly pointed out, is necessary if the United States is to attain to anything like the British efficiency and expedition in the administration of justice. Great Britain long ago discarded the ancient and outworn rules by which we are still guided. If Judge Gary's Crime Commission can speed the acceptance of the reform in this country, it will more than justify its establishment.

## FRANCE'S BONDAGE.

Premier Painleve touched the core of France's troubles when he said that the Government could not have full political liberty in domestic affairs so long as the internal floating debt is not put on the way of settlement, nor liberty of action in foreign affairs so long as the interrelated debt is unsettled. The Premier might have added that France cannot be free with a war and huge armaments on its hands.

Debt is bondage and if the French people are just discovering it they are beginning to see a light which will lead them out. War is also bondage; it holds all the assets of a nation under mortgage to the cost and fortune of war.

The complete reversal of Poincare's policy in the Ruhr and the evacuation of German territory repair one costly blunder of the French, but the nation has much to do in the way of hard correction before sound prosperity and freedom will be gained.

## LABOR LEARNS ITS LESSON.

The warning to its membership by the American Federation of Labor against third-party movements in the congressional and state campaigns of next year undoubtedly was prompted by the unhappy experience of 1924. "The Executive Council," says the letter to members, "believes that as a result of its nonpartisan political policy the launching of third-party movements has proved to be wasted effort and injurious to the desire to elect candidates with favorable records. The 1922 and 1924 political campaigns definitely determined this fact."

Whatever the Executive Council does in the way of political endorsements, of course, can have the effect of only a plea. Commands to the membership, it has been shown, do not work. And so it is only a matter of secondary importance what the council does or thinks. Last year the council endorsed the La Follette candidacy, but numerous unions and individuals openly challenged the endorsement, while nobody knows how many secretly voted in disregard of it.

The nonpartisan attitude of the Federation toward the two major parties, favoring whichever one makes the better offering in candidates and measures, is, of course, wholesome and practical under normal conditions. It affords an example which hidebound partisans outside of the labor ranks could follow with profit. Who is competent to predict, however, that there may not come a time when a third party will be desirable? If both old parties should succumb to the reactionary influence what would labor do?

The trouble in 1924 was that both the old parties did not succumb to such influence. The Democratic party offered a liberal labor plank, and the record of the candidate on labor questions was sound and liberal. The council's endorsement of La Follette did not swing the membership, but, if it had any influence at all, only aided in the election of Coolidge. It is well if the Federation is done with such feeble efforts in the third party field. Independent action is the best rule for both individuals and organizations.

## LET US OPT.

They refused to opt. That is the reason, as explained by a Polish diplomat in Washington, why many Germans must leave Poland, and why many Poles have already left Germany.

Opt? It looks at first like a typographical error, or like some word introduced from a foreign tongue. But open your Webster and you will see:

Opt—to choose; decide; exercise an option or elect choice.

The cross-word puzzle architects have been overlooking this handy three-letter word; at least, we have not seen it used, but doubtless we soon shall. The headline writers will find diplomacy for a new short synonym which will fit in especially well at election time. And the real estate fraternity will soon be opting all over the first page of the wanted section. Unhappily, the plight of the Silesian folk who refused to accept a new citizenship will not be mitigated by these pleasantities.

## THE WORLD'S CHAMPION OPTIMIST.

The ousting of Maj. Roy Asa Haynes of Ohio and his associates is established, though not the emoluments and title, of Federal Director of Prohibition, will be hailed, we believe, with widespread approval. Among those taking a different view of the matter will be, of course, the Antisaloon League, which placed him in office, and the Bootleggers' Union, which has thrived mightily during his regime. But by and large the feeling is likely to be one of satisfaction.

In many cases, however, the satisfaction will not be without an alloy of regret at the temporary passing of the world's champion optimist from the limelight. We Americans have a fondness, of a sort, for any one of our 110,000,000 who can write a superlative after his or her name, whether it be as the world's greatest prize fighter, physicist, fundamentalist or fumigator.

Haynes, beyond doubt, was entitled to his superlative. From his office came a steady stream of what the Washington newspaper men call "handouts," meaning ready-made news stories, telling of the unvarying success of prohibition on all fronts. Disclosures of inefficiency and corruption among dry agents failed to shock him out of his complacency. When evidences of maladministration in Missouri—evidences that later culminated in the Post-Dispatch's exposure of the "protected beer" scandal—were brought to his attention he was wont to smile beamingly and pull out a stack of clippings to prove that the "good people" of Missouri were well satisfied with conditions. To the criticism that failure to enforce prohibition was breeding disrespect for all law, Haynes replied with the suggestion that \$50,000 be appropriated for a "poster campaign" to teach obedience to the Constitution.

The Commissioner's attitude, however much it may have helped to breed the very evils that he sought to prevent, had its compensations. It gave one the kind of thrill that titillated the countryman who, on seeing a giraffe for the first time, remarked that "there ain't no such animal." Haynes was simply unbelievable. In a world of unpleasant facts, his optimism furnished a liberal measure of comic relief.

## A EULOGY FOR SAM.

It is, of course, impossible to place a proper estimate on the life of Sam, the orangutan. Those who mourn him are for the most young hearts and wordless in grief. They will miss him, these St. Louis children, from the turn by the bird cage in Forest Park, where he rode his velocipede. No more will he delight them with his harmonica or hold them spellbound with an ice cream cone. If an orangutan is known by his friends, who will count the friends of Sam? They came and laughed and went away, dragging dolls and teddy bears.

Viewing Sam with adult dignity this much can be said of him. He was as upright as an orangutan can be. Accomplished far above the ordinary brothers of his race, he never got too intellectual to abhor the simpler joys of existence. To eat a banana in the sunshine or box with his trainer sufficed him. Nor did he take part in the bitter disputes of his day. He held steadfastly aloof from discussion of the Scopes trial, nor would he speak in praise of Darwin.

His whole course of life had a naturalness and sincerity that stamped him as a superior creature. Primarily an entertainer he never sought to be a prophet or a politician. From tail to nose he was every inch an orangutan, a model for his race and an exemplar which some men might do well to study.

## FREIGHT RATE INCREASES?

The application of the Western railroads for an increase of 11 per cent in freight rates is of more than economic interest. It is full of political dynamite.

The proposal has come to the public with somewhat of a shock, for, on the basis of periodical reports, the railroads seemed to be well on the way to recovery from the strain of the war and post-war period, and unofficial suggestions for rate reductions had already been heard. The last annual report issued by the Bureau of Railway Economics—that for 1924—shows a total gain in net operating income of Class I roads of less than \$4,000,000 over 1923. But 1923 was a banner year, with the greatest gains since the war, and, on the basis of reports of the first five months of this year and of known heavy traffic during June, 1925, is expected to be another big year.

Theoretically the Interstate Commerce Commission will decide the matter on the basis of statistical fact. The temptation to a political decision, however, will be strong. What administration could afford to face the irate farmers of the West with a freight raise when a reduction had been desired and even expected? Not that the administration would be to blame. The Commerce Commission is a judicial body. But the agrarian vote does not always stop to analyze causes. Nature's benevolence in yielding a good crop last year while other parts of the world were not so well favored is believed to have turned the tide for Coolidge in the agricultural states.

One actual result the application for increases may achieve even if it is not granted. It may successfully hush the demand for reduced rates.

Who says the prosecution is discouraged? This is only the fourth Hogan trial.

## A FEATHERY VICTORY.

That nefarious plan to lure the city hall pigeons to death by the whisky route must die a-borning. Yesterday we discussed the more emotional aspects of the question, peppering it, if we may say so, with bird-stuff. Today, invoking the strength of all Volsteadians, we take pleasure in giving it the coup de grace with this question: "How would the whisky be obtained?"

Associate Comptroller Cunningham's suggestion that the Board of Estimate appropriate \$100 for prescriptions may quickly be dismissed. The board would not dare to be thus fast and loose with the taxpayers' money. Moreover, prescriptions can be issued only for medicinal purposes. Spiritus frumenti is not a snake to catch woodcocks or pigeons—either.

The city hall pigeons could regard whisky only as a beverage, and whisky as a beverage for man or beast or fowl is expressly forbidden by the laws of the land. By no piece of sophistry could this use of whisky be described as industrial, sacramental or medicinal. Therefore, the whisky plan is spurious verisimilitude, to speak but mildly.

No wonder that today the cooing of the city hall pigeons seems to chant the refrain: "Thank heaven for Volstead."



THE MAN ABOUT TOWN.

## JUST A MINUTE

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## CHANSON CONCRETE.

(In the manner of Edna St. Vincent Millay.)

I know why the dandelions won't grow,  
And the Brussels simply refuse to sprout.  
I know, I know—Do you want me to tell?  
Do you think you can stand it? Well—  
There isn't a place they can grow  
In the city. It's all concrete, you know.

No Parking here! Against the Law!  
No Parking here! Miss Margery Daw!  
There isn't a bit of dirt, you see,  
For growing corned beef and cabbage,  
Potatoes! Perhaps—cause they're underground.

But then—O mercy!—How can they be found?  
I tell you, my dear, my lovely Sweet,  
It's all because of concrete.

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LORD HOWE DUMB.

From this morning's Globe.

Barring the untoward circumstance that several members of this week's Municipal Opera Company cast are unfamiliar with their lines and that there seemed, by last night's presents of Victor Herbert's tuneful romantic comic opera, "Naughty Marietta," a lack of coordination as to orchestra and stage management and, furthermore, that several principals were miscast, the performance, taken as a whole, was a creditable one.

That reminds us of the candidate who said: "My opponent is the biggest liar in Jefferson County. He is the most elusive horse thief west of the Mississippi. He is the most immoral man since Brigham Young. Otherwise, I suppose, he is just as well qualified to represent you in Congress as I am."

What a contradiction Mr. Bryan was! He thundered against millionaires, and became one himself. He advocated good morals, and demoralized the country with prohibition. He despised war, and asked to be buried in a military cemetery. Had he been a pole hunter he might have discovered both poles at once.

It is proposed now that the county annex the city. If things go on for a while the way they are going now the speed cops in the county will be able to buy the city and give it to the county.

The scientist who estimates that the United States will accommodate more than 500,000,000 people in time might have added that China has 400,000,000 and look at the damned thing.

After reading the last chapter of "The Rise and Fall of Jesse James," we concluded that Northside Miner ought to be a good place to try "Jelly Roll" Hogan sometime.

Our principal orang-utan died on yesterday at the local zoo. He probably was consumed by the Dayton trial of his relationship to man, and died of a broken heart.

It is hard for the layman to make out from the news whether we are about to have a coal strike or they are merely trying to make us buy coal now.

## THE MIRROR OF PUBLIC OPINION

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## LET US NOT FORGET TEAPOT DOME.

From the New York World.

EVIDENCE bearing on the Continental Trading Co. deal and the large lot of Liberty Bonds that were transferred to the account of Albert B. Fall in Western Union was excluded by United States District Judge Kennedy at the trial of the Teapot Dome case at Cheyenne. In this connection the Government was unable to get before the court the testimony of important witnesses who were missing. Stewart, Bremer and O'Neil were conveniently out of reach, and Oiler had left his home in Canada with the purpose of "hunting big game in Africa." Previously Judge Kennedy denied the Government's petition for a postponement of the trial in order to produce testimony concerning the Continental Trading Co. Subsequently he denied its petition for a reopening of the case on appeal grounds.

In the Government's appeal from Judge Kennedy's decision all these facts are recalled to public attention. They have a direct bearing on the Teapot Dome case, although certain witnesses may have been missing, although certain testimony was excluded at the Cheyenne trial, enough has been revealed about the Continental Trading Co. deal and the Liberty Bonds to lead the public to believe that the Government is not telling the truth being made known. They may suffer severely in reputation, but they appear willing to pay any price even for partial secrecy.

The Government has been embarrassed in presenting the Teapot Dome case in its aspects in the courts. But even though it was ultimately to fail to overcome legal obstacles, there would remain the means of getting to the bottom of the Continental Trading Co. deal and Fall's banking transactions. A congressional investigation will only become the more necessary if proceedings in court do not serve in this regard.

## AN ATLANTIS IN THE PACIFIC.

From the Louisville Courier-Journal.

EDWIN FAIRFAX NAULTY of New York, for many years a student of the earth's movements, says that the Hawaiian Islands are gradually rising from the sea and that within a generation the group now containing 1454 square miles will be equal in area to Japan. The fact that Japan's area, including the Japanese portion of the island of Sakhalin, is 173,835 square miles, indicates the importance of Mr. Naulty's prediction.

If this forecast be confirmed, Nature will have restored a lost Atlantis in the Pacific and placed under the domination of the American flag virgin territory more than three times as large as the State of Kentucky.

Scientists, in the habit of insisting that there are no more lands to be populated than those already discovered and explored, may, in the case of the Hawaiian Islands, have reason to revise their judgments. The discovery of 145,000 square miles of hitherto unknown land to the earth's area would be one of the most remarkable developments in geography known since recorded history began.

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## TEMPERANCE ORGANIZERS

## TO WORK IN NEW FIELDS

Paid Workers Appointed for India, Australasia, South America and the Far North

EDINBURGH, July 17.—Six paid organizers were appointed by the executive committee of the World's Women's Christian Temperance Union at its recent convention here to work for temperance during the next three years in Brazil, far northern countries, Australia, New Zealand, South America, India and Central Europe. Three of the number are workers reappointed to old fields. Three are new selections.

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## Social Activities

MISS EPPES HAWES, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Hawes of Vandeventer place, will depart Aug. 10 for New York to spend a few days before going to Newport, R. I., to be the guest of Mrs. Dan W. Jones at the summer home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Norman, for the Newport season.

Miss Julia Fay Carton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benoit Carton of 4484 Westminster place, will return home today from Culver, Ind., where she has been spending a few days with her brother, Benoit Jr., at Culver Military Academy, where he is attending the summer session. A sister, Miss Helen Carton, will enter Holton Arms in Washington, D. C., in the fall, for a two years course.

Word has reached St. Louis friends of Mrs. William J. Porter, a sister of Dr. Raymond Spivy of 4728 Westminster place, who with Miss Ruth and Josephine Cornet, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cornet of Pershing avenue, is spending the summer in Europe. The party has been touring Italy, and are now at Villa d'Este, on Lake Como.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Blankenship of the Chesterton apartments, and their daughter, Harlette, will leave St. Louis Thursday to spend the month of August with Mr. Blankenship's sister, Mrs. O. C. Wright, on Lookout Mountain, in Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. William Briscoe Kinealy of 5537 Goodfellow avenue, departed at noon on Sunday for a motor trip in the East. They will visit relatives in Columbus, O., Boston and Provincetown, R. I. Mrs. Kinealy's niece, Miss Elizabeth Dillon, will join them in Cleveland.

The wedding of Miss Nella Elizabeth Bridges, daughter of Mrs. Miriam Bridges of 4507 McPherson avenue, and Harry Olin Johnson, of Chicago, took place Aug. 1, the Rev. N. L. Kuwer officiating at the home of the bride's mother. Only members of the immediate families attended the ceremony, which was followed by a dinner at the Gatesworth Hotel. The bride wore an embroidered white georgette gown and carried white roses. After a wedding trip East, the couple will make their home in Chicago. The bride has been a teacher in the public schools in St. Louis for several years.

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SAYS LIFE BEGINS IN  
COLLOIDAL PARTICLE

Scotch Scientist Asserts When Carbonaceous Molecules Join Divine Force Steps In.

By Prof. G. Ross Robertson.  
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 4.—Where does evolution begin? Dr. Alexander Findlay of Aberdeen, Scotland, who gave the opening address at the meeting of the National Council of the American Chemical Society yesterday, told of ventures to locate the beginnings of life not in an Asian oasis, but in the chemical colloidal particle. The noted Scotch physicist chemist sees no possibility of life within the control of a simple crystal or an uncombined atom of carbon or hydrogen. However, when a few billion molecules of pulpy carbonaceous matter collect in a colloidal particle, like a tiny pool of jelly, and join others of like kind, then the divine force steps in and a new chapter of science is started.

Dr. Findlay discussed the troubles of these tiny composite particles, interwoven finally into a living cell. His problems are still those of chemistry, although a start of a biological process has been made. Himself a life-long member of the Church of England, Findlay is agnostic at the proposition of legislative interference with the teaching of evolution and points out that such restriction logically applied would destroy the domain of ultramicroscopic life. No line can be drawn between the evolution of man and the elaboration of the colloid, Findlay declared.

"Paralyzes Training of Youth." Interference with the teaching of evolution simply means paralyzing the training of youth, who will later be fighting cancer, tuberculosis and unsolved diseases which are quite likely caused by the misdeeds of colloid particles.

The chemists actually listened to matter changing into energy when Dr. W. B. Waite, president of the Electric Co. last night connected a piece of the rare metal uranium to a radio amplifier, so that the disintegration of the atoms was broadcast over the whole theater.

It was stated that this show, if necessary, could be kept on the boards for 500,000,000 years, after which the uranium would cease its remarkable transformation and merely turn into a piece of lead not much smaller than the original substance. For an hour, various pieces of so-called matter were put through fascinating antics, in which their inner electrical energy flashed and sputtered under the stimulus of a stageful of apparatus.

Atomic Disintegration Period. Apparently coal and oil are actually energy in the form of myriads of particles of electricity. Burning of coal to get power is just scratching the outside of the constituent atoms. Unfortunately, Dr. Whitney promises no immediate scheme for hoisting down into the central super-power zone of the carbon atom, and the enormous energy is tightly locked with bonds of unknown strength. Apparently uranium atoms are too unwieldy to keep together, and disintegrate without any power of man to control the process. Unquestionably, the sun contains matters of this sort and is generating energy by the atomic disintegration method, but it is impossible to observe any material deep enough in the solar body to afford a definite report on its identity.

McAdoo Move to Santa Barbara. By the Associated Press.  
SANTA BARBARA, Cal., Aug. 4.—William Gibbs McAdoo and family arrived here yesterday from Los Angeles to spend the remainder of the summer in a new home just completed for them on Mission Ridge. Delay in occupying the place was occasioned by the damage done by the earthquake June 29.

ERROLLE AND MISS RUTH  
STAR IN 'NAUGHTY MARIETTA'

"Naughty Marietta," an operetta by Victor Herbert and Rida Johnson Young, which is one of the favorites in the Municipal Theater repertory, is being given this week in Forest Park for the third time in as many seasons. A large audience welcomed it last night as a familiar and well-liked friend.

Prominent was the ringing beauty of Ralph Errolle's voice, together with Miss Ruth's singing, easily the most satisfactory title role has enjoyed at the Municipal Theater. But Dorothy Maynard's dancing and spirit were sadly missed. Bernice Marshon again proved herself one of the most gifted of woman clowns. Clara Schiller, of the chorus, did a watch of song so well that one wondered why she was not cast as Adah. In that case, one of the operetta's best arias would not have been sunk without trace.

If the work was familiar to the audience, it was new to the critics, and the result was a devastating epidemic of forgetfulness. It was as if the company had stored up for one single night the quota of lapses of memory for several seasons. In the midst of frantic "ad libbing" which left little semblance of the libretto, William J. McCarthy managed to improvise a bon mot. His singing, he apologized, was according to the Sears-Robuck vocal method.

LOPOUKHOVA IS MARRIED. Weds. Economist in London: "No More Dancing," Says Her Sister. By the Associated Press.  
LONDON, Aug. 4.—Miss Lydia Lopoukhova, Russian dancer, and John Maynard Keynes, economist and writer, were married today at a London registry office. A huge crowd shrouded them with confetti when they left the office. The dancer's marriage marks the end of her career on the stage. Miss Lopoukhova's sister said:

"There will be no more dancing," she remarked. "That's all over now."

Ship News Reporter, 71, Dies. NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Richard Lee, 71 years old, ship news reporter at Quarantine for the Associated Press since Jan. 1, 1878, died today at his home in Rosham, Staten Island, from general septic poisoning resulting from an infected tooth. His first visits to incoming vessels were made in a rowboat. In recent years he was one of the few privileged to board vessels ahead of the custom officers. His day was sunrise to sunset. He worked seven days a week because he refused to work less.

Movements of Ships. By the Associated Press.  
Arrived.  
Copenhagen, Aug. 3, Lithuania, from New York.  
Glasgow, Aug. 3, California, New York.  
Liverpool, Aug. 3, Cedric, New York.  
Sailed.  
Hamburg, Aug. 1, Arabic, for New York.  
Glasgow, Aug. 2, Adriatic, New York.  
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Liverpool, Aug. 2, Carmania, New York.  
Bergen, Aug. 3, Lancastria, New York.  
Constantinople, Aug. 2, Tugania, New York.  
New York, Aug. 3, Celtic, Liverpool.  
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SAYS RABIES IS RARE  
AS LEPROSY IN U. S.

Albert Payson Terhune Declares Not One "Rabid" Dog in 200 Is Rabid.

By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—Albert Payson Terhune's advice about rabies is contained in a letter published by the New York Herald Tribune, in the course of which he said: "Rabies exists in this country. So does leprosy. One ailment is as uncommon as the other. A genuinely rabid dog will not turn out of his way to bite, though he snaps at everything and everybody in his immediate path. His bite is dangerous; often fatal. But not one supposedly rabid dog in 200 is really rabid. I have been bitten by two so-called rabid dogs in the last twenty-four years. Thus far I have not developed rabies to any annoying, or even appreciable, extent."

"The bite of an angry dog, or a sick dog, or a playful dog, is precisely as dangerous as would be a similar wound inflicted by a sharp bit of metal or bone; plus the chance of infection (not of rabies) from any possible impurity on the teeth. Here is a treatment for dog bite which I have employed in numerous times upon myself and upon others who have been bitten. I have found it infallible. I think any doctor will agree with me."

"First, suck out the wound, if it is where it can be reached by the lips. Then wash it out with hot water. Dry it and paint it thick with iodine. After that forget all about it. The final direction is as important as are the others. Needless worry can do much harm."

"If the dog is sick or may have been eating decayed food, paint the washed-out wound with carbolic acid instead of iodine. Wrap a bit of cotton around a match head, dip it in the carbolic and swab the wound with it. Follow the foregoing directions and you need have no fear of serious consequences from even the most painful dog bite."

"While city councils everywhere are ordering muzzles and leashes for dogs, it might be well for them also to order low drinking dishes to be placed at shaded street corners, and to disseminate a few non-scare facts about dogs and their bites."

Miss Bryan Returns to Florida. By the Associated Press.  
MIAMI, Fla., Aug. 4.—Mrs. W. J. Bryan arrived in Miami yesterday and was met at the station by a party of friends from Coconut Grove, including the Rev. Foster W. Taylor, pastor of the Grove Temple Church, and F. A. Kent, a friend of the family, who was at the Bryan home during the family's absence. With Mrs. Bryan were her son, William Jennings Bryan Jr., E. Thompson, secretary of her husband, and Mrs. C. C. Stevens, a close friend of Mrs. Bryan, and the chauffeur, James McCartney. Mrs. Bryan will begin immediately to complete the manuscript of her book, using as her material a wealth of notes which Bryan had prepared for the work. According to the Rev. Mr. Taylor, the autobiography is to be called "A Son of Fortune."

Missouri Road Conditions. By Telegram to the Post-Dispatch.  
Kansas City—Clear; roads good.  
St. Joseph—Clear; roads good.  
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**HI-CHAIR**  
\$2.50 Value... **\$1.59**  
A sturdy Chair, built of solid oak that has a swinging tray.

**9x12 Axminster**  
**\$36.50**  
Our regular \$60 quality, with heavy pile, made to wear and in a great variety of colors.  
**\$3 Cash, Balance Monthly**

**UNION**  
**HOUSE FURNISHING CO.**  
1120-22-24-26-28-30 Olive St.

**2-Pc. Mixing Set**  
**\$1.25 Value... 69c**  
Strong crank handle, metal mixers that fit into heavy glass bowls and can be used for whipping or mixing.

**Sewing Cabinet**  
**\$15 Value... \$7.85**  
Martha Washington Cabinet, finished in mahogany with ample space for your sewing.

Starting Wednesday at the Union—A Special Attraction for Our August Clearance—A Big

# Sale of 607 National Living Room Rockers

A Special Sale at Great Savings of Fine Rockers Made by the National Chair Co.

Starting Wednesday at St. Louis' Dependable Store—a special purchase of fine Living Room Rockers at the unheard-of low price of only \$11.75. Included in this group are numerous styles, not illustrated, that are new and distinctive in design of fine craftsmanship and coming from this nationally known Chair manufacturer—The National Chair Co.—they are, indeed, most remarkable values at this low price.

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Cash Will Deliver Any of These Rockers to Your Home Balance Can Be Paid Monthly

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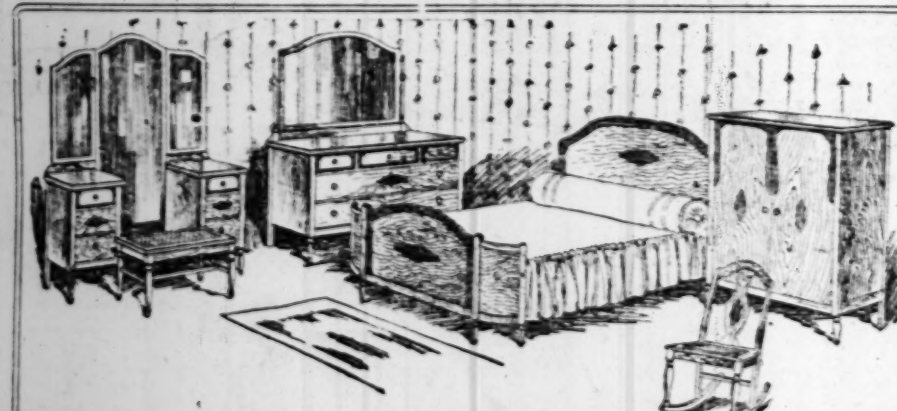
These Rockers Are Regular \$25.00 Values

**\$11.75**

\$1 Cash Will Deliver a Rocker—Balance Monthly

Here is an opportunity to buy that odd Rocker you have wanted for your home at a genuine saving! This group of Rockers, purchased especially for our August Clearance, embraces all of the latest designs and coverings for the year. All of the Rockers offered have the finest Nachmann spring construction and are shown in a wide variety of frames and the coverings include choice silk velours, beautiful tapestries and solid leather.

Avail yourself of our Easy Budget Plan during this sensational offering. Just pay \$1.00 cash, and the balance may be divided into convenient weekly or monthly payments to suit. We urge you to be here early Wednesday, when the sale begins, and choose your Rocker while the selection is still fresh and complete, for you will be convinced that these Rockers are the best values that have ever been offered to the people of St. Louis.



**\$250 6-Piece French Walnut Suites**

In Our August Clearance at...

Excellent 6-piece genuine French walnut Bedroom Suites that are beautifully decorated. Each Suite consists of large-size dresser, bow-end bed, large chiffonade and full-length vanity. Bench and rocker included.

**\$15 Cash—Balance Monthly**

**\$195**

## CEDAR-LINED CHIFFOROBES

**\$50.00 Value... \$27.45**

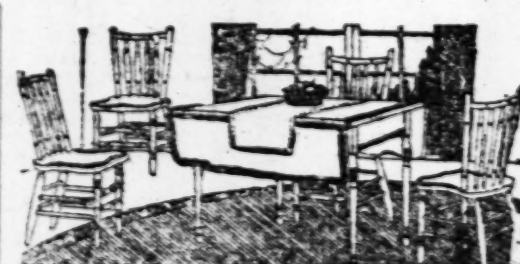
These large, roomy Chifforobes are finished in oak or walnut and have five drawers, spacious cedar-lined clothes-hanging compartment and hat-box.

**\$2 Cash—Balance Monthly**



## Why Not Trade in Your Old Furniture for New?

If you have a piece of furniture, a rug or a stove that has served its usefulness—or if you want to refurbish entirely, we'll gladly take your old furniture in exchange and make you a liberal allowance on it, on the purchase of any new furnishings you may care to select. Phone Olive 7741 for our appraiser to call at your home. All furniture received in exchange will be reconditioned and offered for sale ONLY at our Trade-In Department, 1628 North Eleventh Street. (Take Bellefontaine Car.)

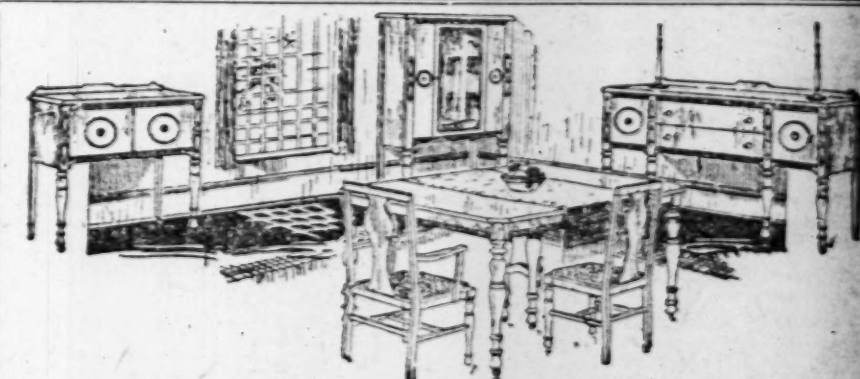


**Sale of All-Enameled 5-Piece Breakfast Suites**

**\$30.00 Suites at... \$19.75**

This is a well-constructed Suite that is enameled in ivory or gray with rose or blue trimmings. Included are a drop-leaf table and four built-in chairs.

**\$1.00 Cash—Balance Monthly**



**\$295 Ten-Piece French Walnut Suites**

The Carolinian Suite at...

Elegant 10-piece French Walnut Suites of fine craftsmanship, and made with burl walnut overlay. The Suites include large buffet, with mahogany dustproof interiors, spacious china cabinet, oblong extension table, server and six tap-dressy seat chairs, one an armchair.

**\$15 Cash—Balance Monthly**

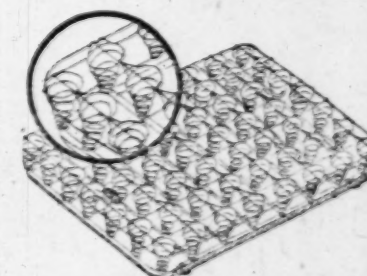
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## COIL SPRINGS

**\$14.00 Value... \$7.25**

Very substantially made, with long oil tempered coils in twin or full size. Will give lasting satisfaction.

**\$1 Cash—Balance Monthly**



## Simmons Metal Bed and Spring

**Special at Only... \$12.75**



**\$1.00 Cash—Balance Monthly**

## REED FIBER ROCKERS

**\$16.00 Value at... \$8.95**



**\$1 Cash—Balance Monthly**

All Reed Fiber Floor Samples, 1 Off

Convenient Terms

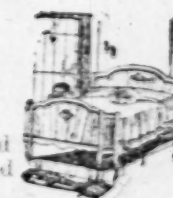
## \$40 ODD WOOD BEDS

In Our August Clearance at

**\$19.50**

Beautiful bow-end Beds in full size and fine walnut and ivory finishes. Priced for clearance at \$19.50.

**\$1.00 Cash—Balance Monthly**

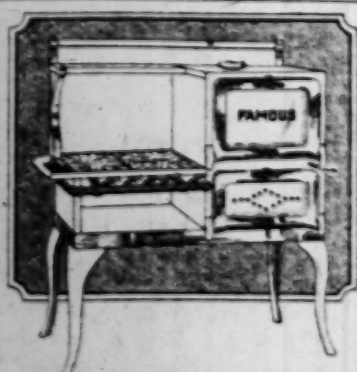


## DRESS TRUNKS

**\$15.00 Value... \$7.50**

An inexpensive Trunk that is good looking and just the thing for traveling. Has a tray divided into two parts: leather handle, brass locks and catches.

**\$1.00 Cash—Balance Monthly**



## August Clearance of "Famous" GRAY ENAMEL RANGES

Priced During Our August Clearance at

**\$59.75**

These all-GRAY enamel Cabinet-Gas Ranges are rare values. The baking oven measures 16x20 inches and has a large broiler oven below. The trimmings and unadorned are finished in sparkling nickel. These Ranges are fully guaranteed.

**\$5.00 Cash Delivers One**

## \$21 OAK DRESSER

In Our August Clearance at

**\$12.75**



Large-size Dressers made of solid oak with three large drawers and swinging mirror.

**\$1.00 Cash—Balance Monthly**

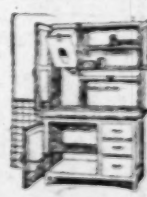
## Regular \$55.00 KITCHEN CABINETS

In Our August Clearance at

**\$36.50**

Made of solid oak; have all the latest labor-saving devices and sliding porcelain top.

**\$3.00 Cash—Balance Monthly**



## CONSOLE PHONOGRAPHS

With Radio Adaption Feature

**\$49.75**

Beautiful two-tone mahogany Phonographs, which have wonderful clear tones and a separate cabinet for your own radio.

**\$3.00 Cash Delivers One**



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### PART THREE.

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county members. As a member of the Constitutional Convention, Lashly made a particular study of the annexation question and it was apparent last night that the county members, at least, regarded his pronouncement as one of authority. All of the county members but Robert A. Roessej and former State Senator A. E. L. Gardner were present when Lashly stated his position.

**Offers Only One Plan.**

Lashly prefaced his statement by the introduction of a resolution calling upon the board to exclude from consideration all plans except that providing for the extension of the boundaries so as to take in the city of St. Louis and the consolidation of the city and county governments.

This proposition is No. 2 in the three proposals offered by the constitutional amendment authorizing the formation of an annexation scheme. Proposal No. 1 would authorize the city to take in all the county and No. 3 would allow the city to extend its limits into the county.

"I am emphatically against Proposal One and Three," Lashly declared. "I am unqualifiedly against allowing the city to take in a large stretch of rural territory, as would be done in Proposal One, and I will certainly vote against any proposal allowing the city to take from the county its wealthiest districts, leaving to the county what is left from which to draw its revenue."

"I feel that ultimately both the

city and county members of this board will feel the force of what we say. I know that we are certain to wind up by agreeing to consider only Proposal Two, or some modification of it. It seems to be wise to come to it at once and that is why I am offering my resolution."

**"Must Satisfy County."**

"I don't want it thought, however, that I favor the unqualified adoption of Proposal Two. But I am willing to consider any reasonable plan under Proposal Two because a way may be found under it to work advantage to St. Louis County. There is no such possibility under Proposals One and Three."

"The people of St. Louis County must be satisfied with the plan we propose finally. The people of the county will have the last word in the matter and the sooner we realize that the better off we'll be."

As Lashly spoke, Fred Eesen, county Republican boss and a freeholder, arose from his chair near the table on the city side and took another seat among the six county freeholders, who were on the other side of the table. Made apparently without design, Eesen's movement consolidated the county members into a solid, purposeful group representative of the strength which can be thrown to one side or the other of the annexation question.

Hugh K. Wagner, a city freeholder, broke the silence that settled as Lashly concluded his speech.

**Reply by Wagner.**

"The county member admits he is better informed than any other of us on the annexation problem," he said. "He tells us he has made a study of the problem. And he asks us to accept his conclusions without making an independent study of the question for ourselves. The freeholders should have a chance to inform themselves on the annexation question before considering any phase of it."

**Referred to Committee.**

Lashly had asked for immediate consideration of his proposal, but on a point of order it was referred to the Scope and Plan Committee. Lashly smiled urbanely as other business was taken up. Eesen leaned back in his chair and dozed. The first shot against annexation of the county by the city had been fired. It was now in the hands of the Scope and Plan Committee. There are four county members of the Scope and Plan Committee and only three city members.

Other proposals were referred to the same committee. Wagner offered three of them, each based upon one of three plans of carrying out the constitutional amendment. They were offered merely to get each plan before the committee and start consideration of the question for which the existence of the board was authorized.

Clarence O. Shotwell, county member, offered still another plan based upon the so-called Federal system, under which a metropolitan district would be organized. Such a plan is in force in Philadelphia, Detroit and other large cities. It was significant that while Shotwell favored this plan, his proposal included arguments against city annexation such as were offered by Lashly.

At the meeting last night there were seven county and seven city freeholders present and there was apparently no disposition on the part of either side to try the mettle of the other by bringing even a trial matter to a vote. When Wagner attempted to read his proposals, Lashly objected. The matter was put to a question. The city members voted, but the county members were silent.

Similarly on other questions there was a conscious avoidance of the clash which has threatened since the organization of the body in which the county took a majority on the committees and left to the city three offices which are for the most part nominal.

The freeholders decided to open an office at once, and it is probable headquarters will be in the Planers Building. Former State Senator Edward H. Baumann will be clerk of the body at a salary of \$250 monthly. Miss May Hersen will be stenographer at \$110, and William Corcoran will be official reporter, getting the usual legal rate for his services. Considerable discussion aimed at effecting the greatest possible economy preceded the adoption of the measure providing for an office and a clerical force.

C. E. Smith, consulting engineer for the city, and Charles W. Bates, former City Counselor, will be asked to speak to the freeholders at the next meeting to be held in the Board of Aldermen chambers in the city hall at 8 p. m., Sept. 1.

At a later meeting William B. Thompson and Shepard Barclay, attorneys, will be asked to speak. Both were prominent in discussion of the separation of city and county in 1878. Thompson, a former State Senator, was a contributor to newspapers on the question, and Barclay, a former judge of the State Supreme Court, was also prominent in the discussion. It is believed they can give the board a good background for its work by relating the circumstances surrounding the separation.

HAWAIIAN ISLANDS SWEEP  
BY UNUSUALLY HIGH WINDS

One Woman Killed and Three Men Narrowly Escape Death—Beach Property Damaged.

By The Associated Press.

HONOLULU, Aug. 4.—One woman was killed and three men threatened with death Sunday night when unusually high winds swept the Hawaiian Islands and

churned surrounding waters. The woman died of injuries suffered when her small automobile was blown off a hillside.

David Kahanamoku, brother of Duke Kahanamoku, the swimmer, was adrift at sea with two companions in a disabled launch 13

hours before a seaplane spotted the little craft and sent a motor tug to rescue them.

The heaviest surf in years did thousands of dollars of damage along the Honolulu beach residences. The district of the waves and invading beach homes. It was still

running high today. Some of the lower ground at Fort Kaneohe was submerged, the water reaching the road leading to the headquarters buildings.

Some damage from the high winds also was reported from the island of Hawaii.

**W. C. T. U. Deplores Bryan's Death**

Resolutions on the death of William Jennings Bryan were adopted by the St. Louis Woman's Christian Temperance Union, meeting at 522 Delmar boulevard. The resolutions speak of Bryan's death as "a great loss to the cause of righteousness."

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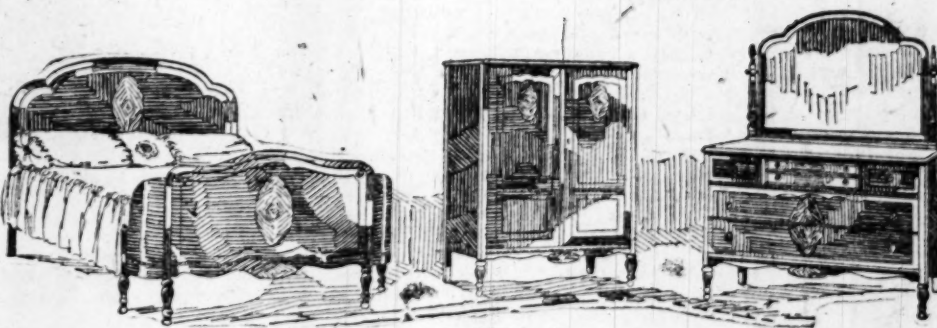
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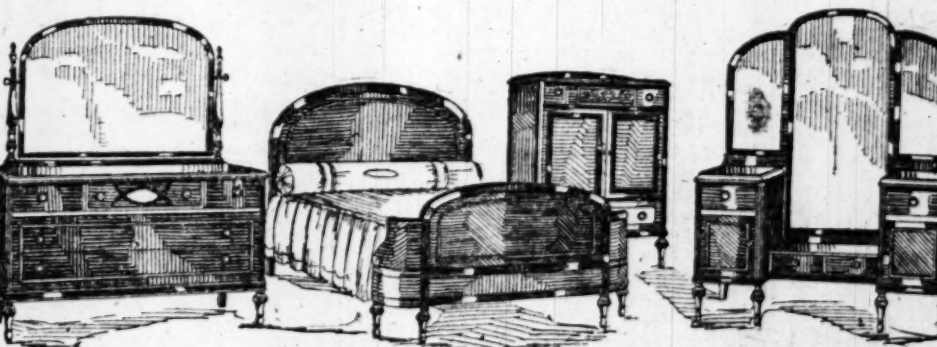


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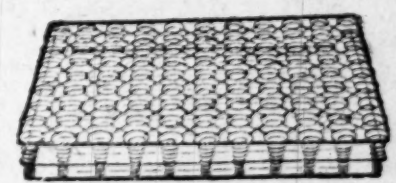
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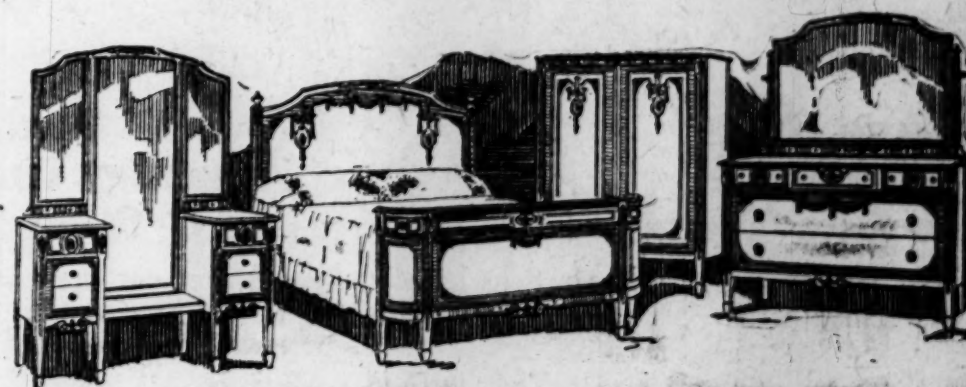
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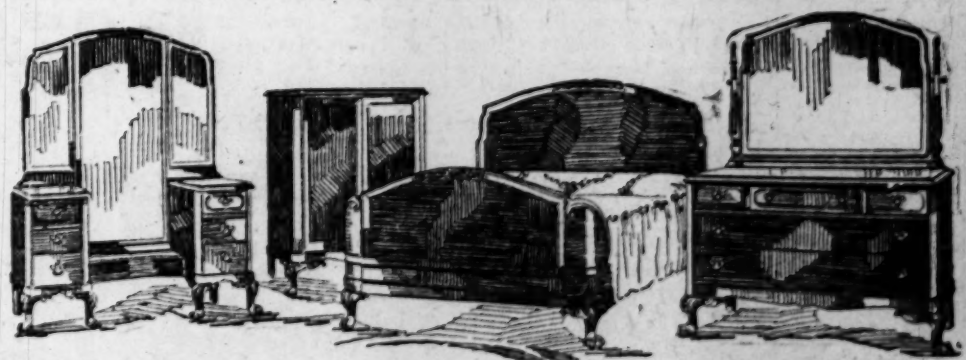
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Life Term, 80, Gets "Vacation."  
By the Associated Press.  
JACKSON, Miss., Aug. 4.—J. A. Taber, 80 years old, who for ten

years has been a "model prisoner" at the State Penitentiary here, has departed to visit his family in Lafayette County by special permission of Gov. Whitfield. Taber, who

is serving a life sentence for murder, was happy as he departed "see the folks" and promising that "I'll be back bright and early on the morning of August 10."

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## LADY LUCK AT LAST JILTS NEGRO SWINDLER

Caught After Hot Pursuit, Confidence Man Admits Two Years' Operations.

Lady Luck and Joseph Bush, 29-year-old negro, of 1447 Biddle street, were on most favorable terms for nearly two years. In that period—in about 200 times, he guesses—the lady of good fortune was with him faithfully when he worked his swindle, chiefly victimizing housewives, collecting small sums of money from them to release larger winnings which the caller announced had been won by the husband or relative.

But yesterday the dame turned fickle. Bush had been "working" East St. Louis and had just obtained \$6 from Lulu Fulton, a negro, living at 4001 Piggott avenue. He was about to leave the house when the woman's brother, John Joiner, arrived.

The caller's action in starting to run caused the Joiner to obtain a pistol and give chase. Once he fired a shot at the fugitive. Other persons joined in the chase, which continued across lots to the plant of the Aluminum Ore Co., a mile away. There the pursued man plunged into the mill pond and was captured.

At East St. Louis Police Headquarters he made a confession of his activities and estimated he had victimized 200 persons in St. Louis, East St. Louis, Belleville and the Tri-Cities. He said he could recall only his recent victims, and this morning he started out with East St. Louis detectives to call on as many of them as he could recall.

Bush related that he formerly worked as an agent in a policy game, and there got the idea of his swindle. He would first call on a neighbor of the intended victim, on some pretext, and then obtain information as to the names, family habits and working status, of the victim's family. With this knowledge, and usually secure in the fact the husband was at work the swindler then had easy sailing.

**Identifies Prisoner.**  
Bush ventured that he made about \$50 a week, but detectives are of the opinion that he made more. Some of the individual victims have reported losses of \$40 to \$80. The first St. Louis victim to identify the swindler was Mrs. Melissa Lanford, a negro of 2845 Morgan street. She was taken to the East St. Louis station by St. Louis detectives, after the swindler himself had listed her as a victim from whom he obtained \$42 last Thursday.

Police are inclined to believe that Bush is not the only swindler who operated this particular swindle here in the last two years, but they believe he was the principal one. A warrant charging the operation of a confidence game will be applied for today. Conviction carries with it an indeterminate prison sentence of from one to 10 years.

**WILLED BRAIN TO SCIENCE  
TO PROVE VALUE OF WOMEN**  
It is doubtful, however, whether wishes of Civil Service Commissioners have been carried out.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Because she felt that scientists had failed to properly value the mental faculties of woman, Mrs. Helen H. Gardener, civil service commissioner who died here recently, willed her brain to Cornell University, but whether here wishes were carried out has developed here a maze of contradictory statements.

Mrs. Gardener inferred that doctors in the past had taken the brains of women of low mental caliber and compared them with the best type of masculine brains, to the prejudice of womenkind. She asked that the University be made the recipient of her brain, provided that it had not been injured by illness, and provided that it was in such condition as to furnish a representative example of "women who use their brains for the public welfare and add to the knowledge of the brain quality and characteristics of the 'women who think' as against the present statistics on women's brains which are based on hospital 'pickups' and the less fortunate women of the world."

Those charged with carrying out the terms of the will seemed at odds as to what happened after Mrs. Gardener's death. Dr. Robert Y. Sullivan, who was named to perform the operation, said he had not had Mrs. Gardener in his care for two years. In other medical circles it was reported a later request had assigned the task to a physician at Walter Reed Army Hospital, but efforts to determine the facts of the case there were met with the statement that the authorities were not permitted to shed light on the subject.

Mrs. Gardener was a great-aunt of Miss Helen G. Crane, 4214 Connecticut street, who has been in Washington two months. Miss Crane will share in the estate, valued at about \$20,000.

**FALL OF SEVEN FEET FATAL**  
A fall of seven feet from a scaffold proved fatal to Alphonse Teppo, 66 years old, of 3424 Osage street, a carpenter, yesterday.

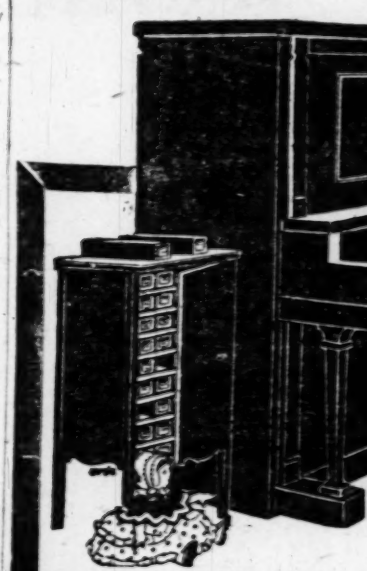
He was at work on a building at 5211 Louisiana avenue, when he fell from the scaffold on the first floor and into the cellar. In falling his head struck the floor. He died at the Alexian Brothers' Hospital at 5 p. m. from a skull fracture.

**POLICE REPORT NEARLY READY**  
Illustrations Will Be Absent From Annual Record.  
The annual report of the St.

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## CONVICTED SWINDLERS FREED

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Two Werblow Brothers, Who Obtained \$150,000, Probably Never Will Be Tried Again.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Convicted of grand larceny in an international three-cornered swindle, out of which they realized \$150,000, Robert and Henry Werblow, sentenced last year to from five to 10 years in Sing Sing, again are at liberty, this time to await a new trial, which Assistant District Attorney Pecora said yesterday probably will never take place.

The Court of Appeals last month reversed the conviction of Henry Werblow and ordered a new trial. Pecora agreed with George Gordon Battle, attorney for the two brothers, that Robert was convicted on the same evidence and it was arranged that he should also be released on a certificate of reasonable doubt. Judge McIntyre admitted Robert to bail Saturday. Henry was liberated last Wednesday. Each is out on \$10,000 bail.

Pecora said he was doubtful if it would be possible to convict the brothers under the Court of Appeals decision. An application probably will be made in the fall to discharge bail and dismiss the indictments. If this is done, the brothers will be no opposition from the District Attorney, he said.

The Guaranty Trust Co. and the Asia Banking Corporation were the losers through the operations of the brothers. The District Attorney's office proceeded on the theory that the crime had been planned in New York. Attorneys for the brothers contended that no money was stolen in New York.

A third brother, Isaac, with the aid of Robert and Henry, opened an account in London through cables purporting to have been sent from the Hankow branch of the Asia Corporation. On this credit about \$150,000 was checked out of the London branch of the Guaranty Trust Co. on cables sent by Robert from New York, on a pretended bridge contract with the Chinese Government. The money was transferred to the Pekin branch of the Asia Corporation, where Henry was manager, and where it was withdrawn under the name of "Chester James."

**\$50,000 SUIT FILED AGAINST COLUMBIA PHONOGRAPH CO.**  
Distributing Concern Says Agencies Were Taken Over After Trade Had Increased.

A suit for \$50,000 damages was filed in Circuit Court today by the Columbia Distributors, Inc., 1327 Pine street, against the Columbia Phonograph Co., a West Virginia corporation. The petition says that the distributing company entered into a contract with the phonograph company to market its products exclusively in seven central and Southern states; that the distributors set up selling agencies and increased sales from \$5000 to \$35,000 monthly, from April, 1924, to June 25, for a total of \$414,964.93; and that on the latter date, upon a pretext of refusing to deliver merchandise, the manufacturer took over the agencies and their leases.

A similar suit for \$75,000 damages for alleged breach of contract was brought recently by the distributor against the manufacturers. Officers of the distributing company are listed as follows: Maurice Lasky, president; Harry Greensfelder, secretary, and Jacob Lasky, treasurer.

## STUDEBAKER INSPECTS

**ILLINOIS TRACTION SYSTEM**  
Clement H. Looks Over Holdings of Family at Edwardsville.

Clement Studebaker III, son of Clement Studebaker Jr., member of the family of South Bend, Ind., and Chicago, was in Edwardsville last week, inspecting the properties of the Illinois Power and Light Corporation, of which his father is president.

Studebaker, who is 25 years old, has just finished his studies in college, university and technical schools, and is observing at close range, the great utilities grouped under the Illinois Traction System and McKinley syndicate holdings, in which his family is heavily interested.

He inspected the Edwardsville offices and the St. Louis, Troy & Eastern Railroad, recently purchased by the corporation for an inlet to East St. Louis.

## BANDAGE IGNITES, BURNS MAN

**Harry Hill Injured When Wrapping on Arm Flames From Sparks.**  
Harry Hill, 50 years old, of 1405 Market street, suffered painful burns of the left arm last night when sparks from a cigarette ignited a bandage soaked in alcohol that Hill was wearing over an acid burn on the arm.

Hill was seated on his front steps when a passerby threw a cigarette in his direction. A spark lit on the saturated bandage and it burst into flames. Hill's burns were treated at the city hospital, where they were pronounced painful but not dangerous.

## Madison County Tax Hearings.

The Board of Review of Madison County will meet at the Collinsville City Hall, Aug. 10 to 12, to hear objections from property owners concerning increases in valuations. Saline, Helvetia, St. Jacob and Leaf Township taxpayers will be heard at a session in Highland Thursday, and a meeting for Fort Russell, Chouteau, Jarvis, Marine and Alhambra Townships will be held in Edwardsville Friday.

**Congregation Would Retain Pastor.**  
The congregation of the Main Street Methodist Church of Alton has unanimously voted to ask the Centennial conference for the return of the Rev. Theodore Cates for his eighth year.

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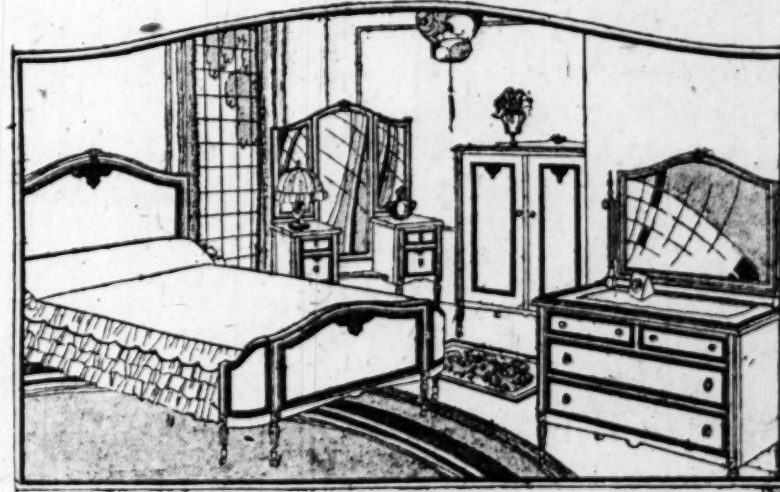
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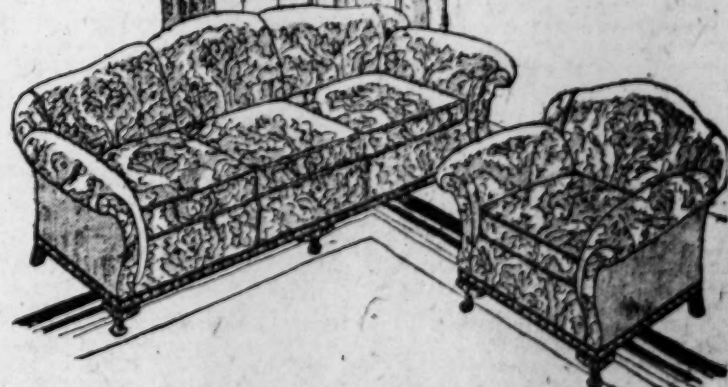
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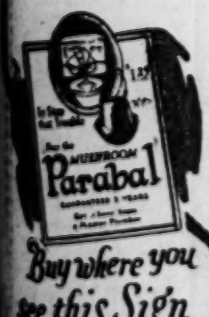
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# HORNSBY SUSPENDED FOR THREE DAYS FOR ROW WITH UMPIRE

## Bill Sherdel to Hurl Against the Giants in Final Game of Series

Cardinals' Impressive Showing in Taking Two Straight From League Champions Arouses Hope That Team Is on Winning Streak—Haines Victor in Hectic Game.

By Dent McSkimming.

Rogers Hornsby will be lost to the Cardinals team for three days as a result of a suspension imposed by President John Heydler of the National League today. Hornsby was elected from yesterday's game with the Giants because of profanity directed at Umpire Sweeney.

"I did not recommend Hornsby's suspension," said Umpire Sweeney today in discussing the altercation in the fifth inning yesterday. "I am not a doctor, but I am a baseball umpire. I am not a doctor, but I am a baseball umpire. I am not a doctor, but I am a baseball umpire."

Hornsby's banishment came in the fifth inning with the Cardinals at bat. In the first inning Hornsby was called out on strikes, with a profanity directed at Umpire Sweeney. In the fifth with Scott hurling, Umpire Sweeney again called a third strike on Rogers.

Hornsby turned angrily upon the umpire disputing the verdict. In the last eight games he had struck out eight batters and the two called strikeouts apparently got under his skin. His language evidently did not appeal to Sweeney for he did not take the field in the sixth.

In Hornsby's absence, which will include the final game with the New York Giants and two games with the Boston Braves, Jimmy Sweeney will be at second base and will probably bat in third place.

The enforced idleness may prove a boon to the Cardinals. For Hornsby has been playing with a weak and sore ankle. He refused to permit the joint to grow strong after a recent injury.

In going after three straight hits yesterday, Hornsby's batting average was .300. He had previously appeared in his last two previous appearances held Brooklyn to one run at Ebbets Field and came back to beat Robby's men again at Sportsman's park, holding them to three runs.

Card Well Down the List.

Because of the disastrous reverses suffered at Pittsburgh and Cincinnati at the conclusion of the season had tried the two straight victories of the Cardinals have failed to make so much as a ripple in the change in the pennant race. They are still four and one-half games behind the fourth place Brooklyn club.

These were a good many good reasons why the Cardinals were able to whip the Giants yesterday. Rogers' overpowering of second base yesterday was the fifth in a series of reasons, especially in view of the fact that the Cardinals eventually won by a one-run margin, 7 to 6.

Jim Sweeney's disregard of Rogers' long lead off first and then get second base. Sweeney just the bit at an advantage which he needed to beat Hank Gowdy's throw in last inning.

But there were other factors. Jim Haines had hardly loosened his throwing arm, before the Giants had a 4-run lead in the second inning. The Cardinals had two hits contributed to the parade of New York runners. Young and Terry furnished the hits. But immediately four Cardinals hits were bunched with two errors, both by Frisch.

That was the first evidence of a determination on the part of Hornsby's men to hand the Giants a licking.

Following the 4-run episode of the third inning, Haines tightened up and pitched very excellent ball. Why in the eighth inning was he called for more than one hit in the same round? Then Young, out on an infield bouncer, Meador doubled and Terry doubled, scoring two runs. His teammates gathered about Jesse, impressed upon him the necessity of retiring the next two batters without more ado, and then the hitting stopped, with the Giants leading, 6 to 5.

Assisted by a polite reminder from Umpire Sweeney that he was placing his left foot outside of the batter's box, Jim Bottomley led the score in the eighth with a home-run. Sweeney's suggestion that Bottomley comply with the rules regarding the batter's box forced Jim to bring his left foot just an inch or two to the pressure spot necessary to the knocking of home-runs.

Then Chick Hafey smashed a two-bagger to right, three runs scored on Mueller's bunt, beating Meador's throw to third by a narrow margin, and scored on O'Farrell's single.

Cardinal Notes

In addition to stealing second and third in the fifth inning, George Sweeney further contributed to the team's success.

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Hereman Defeats Hurley.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Babe Hereman, leading featherweight challenger, won a judges' decision over Low Hurley of New York in a 10-round bout, scoring a knockdown in the ninth and decisively outpointing his opponent all the way.

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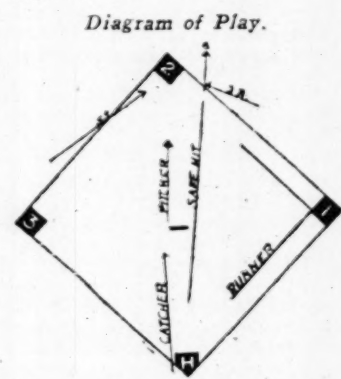
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The pitcher should move from the rubber and line up with the players covering second. This enables him to handle the ball should it escape the player covering.

There being no play at the plate, the catcher should move down and also line up with the throw, thus enabling him to recover the ball should the throw to second evade not only the man covering but the pitcher as well.

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STARS DEFEAT MEMPHIS RED SOX, 6-2

The St. Louis Stars triumphed over the Memphis Red Sox, 6 to 2, in the third game of the series in the Negro National League at the Stars' park yesterday. Brown was in excellent form, holding the Red Sox to five singles, fanned five men and would have scored a shutout victory with good support.

Russell's errors gave the visitors two runs, one in the first and one in the third inning. Greedy led the batting, collecting a single and a double in three times at bat.

Memphis started a rally in the fifth inning but a fast double play by Barnes, Greedy and Bobo spoiled chances to score. The fourth game of the series will be played this afternoon.

NETTELER NOW MEMBER OF RIVERVIEW CLUB

Vincent Nettler, product of the municipal golf links in Forest Park and formerly a member of the Midland Valley Country Club, has affiliated with the Riverview Country Club, where he will team with Jimmy Manion, district title holder.

## Richards Shares Net Honors With Big Bill Tilden

Although on Defeated Team, He Forces Victors to Fast Pace

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The program of Davis Cup tryouts battle again today at Forest Hills, N. Y., after a scintillating struggle yesterday in which William Tilden and William M. Johnston defeated Vincent Richards and R. Norris Williams, 6-4, 6-2, 6-4.

The same teams meet also tomorrow, while the Davis Cup Selection Committee has asked that Richard and Johnston be paired for the feature singles match of the East-West series Saturday.

Two singles matches are scheduled for today, Cranston Holman meeting Howard Kinsey in a battle of Californians, and George M. Lott Jr. of Chicago opposing John Hennessey of Indianapolis. Kinsey yesterday defeated Hennessey, 6-3, 6-4, 6-2, 6-2. Holman won from Lott, 8-4, 6-2, 6-4.

While the national champion, playing with that dynamic stroke and bullet service, was easily the outstanding performer on the court, he was forced to share some of the limelight yesterday with the youthful Richards, whose forceful service and ferocious net play drove Tilden and Johnston into the background on many occasions.

Fourth Place Open.

In addition to the features doubles exhibition, two singles were played by players invited to compete by the committee with the view of selecting a fourth man for the American team. Tilden, Richards and Johnston are logically sure of their selection with Williams almost a sure bet for the fourth man, but the Davis Cup committee is laying a foundation for its 1926 and 1927 teams in inviting Howard O. Kinsey of San Francisco, Cranston Holman of Lehigh and Stanford University, John Hennessey of Indianapolis and George M. Lott Jr. of Chicago to participate in the tryouts.

The Tilden-Johnston and Richards-Williams teams will play doubles exhibitions each day this week until Friday while the other four will participate in a "round robin" tournament, the schedule changing each day. The committee watched the doubles match today.

Tilden is the only certainty to play in both singles and doubles although Richards is almost certain to be the other singles choice. That the makeup of the team, however, will not be definitely announced until 10 days prior to the Davis Cup challenge round.

NORTHWESTERN GRID STAR IN HOSPITAL

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—Although the football season is nearly two months away, the Northwestern Purple eleven has had a costly Herman Cohen, right guard of last year's team and promising candidate to repeat, who was smothered in the "Red" drizzle of 15 minutes for working for an ice company in Quincy, Ill., has been operated on for a locked knee. Last May Cohen injured a cartilage while jumping but not until recently it gave him serious trouble.

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1924—Roseborough and Miller.

## Umpires Organize; Charge Magnates With Yelling "Kill Umpire"

LAUREL, Del., Aug. 4.—What is believed to be the first revolt of umpires against the powers of organized baseball. The umpires of the Eastern Shore League met at luncheon in the Biggs Hotel here yesterday and decided unanimously to quit if they were not given an increase in wages and more protection by various club managers. When asked for specific complaint, the spokesman for the umpires said:

"We are tired of having pop bottles and other missiles thrown at us and of hearing club officials applaud the miscreants, some of whom are joining in the yell 'Kill the umpire.'"

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County Net Event Starts Saturday

Players Who Won Titles Last Year Will Play at Kirkwood Country Club.

By Davison Obeare.

The twelfth annual tennis tournament for the championship of St. Louis County is scheduled to open Sunday afternoon on the courts of the Kirkwood Country Club. There will be events for men in singles and doubles, the singles to start Aug. 8.

The tournament is open to all players residing in St. Louis County. The entry list for singles will close Thursday night. Entries may be sent to A. B. Lynn, at 217 Selma avenue, Webster Groves, or may be telephoned to Webster 223. Forty-five players have already signified their intention to play in the singles while 23 teams have entered the doubles play.

Richard Roseborough, the present singles champion, and Roseborough and James Miller, doubles champions, will defend the titles. Roseborough is a former St. Louis intercollegiate tennis champion. He defeated Herbert Bryant, the Forest Hills Club player, in the county singles last year.

Among the other entries received are the following: Robert Metcalf, former title holder; Carl Harford, former champion of the Kirkwood Country Club; L. E. More, the veteran player who has held the Triple A. Washington University and numerous other titles during the past 20 years; Carl Harford, a member of the Anshert College tennis team; and J. C. Crowie, a former Chicago public parks champion.

Cabell will have H. C. Macy as a partner in the county doubles this year. Macy's playing last year was the sensation of the tournament. More will have his usual partner, Hunt Albert, in the doubles event.

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## Young Marullo Stops Jeff Smith

Veteran Middleweight Knocked Out in Eleventh by Former Victim.

By the Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 4.—Young Marullo of New Orleans knocked out Jeff Smith, Bayonne, N. J., veteran, in the eleventh round of their scheduled 15-round bout here last night. Marullo weighed 163 and Smith 166½.

It was the first knockout of Smith's career. His conqueror was the same Marullo who, last September, stood up under a terrific lacing by Smith.

The pupil turned on his master, blinding Smith with smashing blows, and with a fusillade of rights and left forced his one-time vanquisher to the floor for the count.

Wins Northwest Title

By the Associated Press.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 4.—Anders Orfield, Minneapolis, won his third major tennis championship in two years by defeating James Keith in the finals of the Northwestern junior tournament yesterday. Orfield is also holder of the Northwest intercollegiate title and won the Northwestern boys' tournament last year.

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SID SMITH, ST. LOUIS BOY, REACHES THIRD ROUND AT CULVER

By the Associated Press.

CULVER, Ind., Aug. 4.—Play was started yesterday in the first round of the junior and the boys' open Western tournament at the Culver Military Academy tennis courts. The first day's play was marked by no upsets.

Sid Smith of St. Louis qualified for the third round by defeating Patout of Culver, 6-1, 6-0.

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Oils—Bonds Dull and  
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**By Leased Wire from the New York  
Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.**

**NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The** closing Post in its copyrighted financial review today says:

"Despite continued rimness in call money rates and sporadic selling in the oil stocks, the prices of the speculative securities was up today. Trading on the high market was fairly active and the market was firm in money and

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which carried this stock back to 420 attracted attention to the automotive industry and the general market reached a new top while White Motors jumped to 92. International Telephone was another stock which forged its way into recent territory. Oils were again under pressure, however, selling centered on the Pan-American Petroleum issues. Losses of more than 2 points in both the A and B shares were quickly recovered. General Electric also turned out a profit-taking, but the utility stock as a whole continued to strengthen. Public service of New Jersey and Columbia Gas were leaders with advances of 2 each.

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**Commodities Irregular**

**Foreign Exchange Irregular**

"Fluctuations in the foreign exchange market were irregular as the volume of business contracted. Resumption of London markets after the prolonged holiday brought only a slight increase in interest. Danish shilling advanced again after a period of inaction with further sensational advances, but the remainder of the market moved uneventfully. Prices were under pressure. Dutch guilders rallied. French Italian rates were a trifle higher. Polish exchange advanced 1/2 point. Japanese yen little affected.

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NATIONAL STOCKS. The American National stock market today was characterized by a general upward movement, with prices generally higher than yesterday. The market was active, with many new issues being introduced. The price of the new issue of the American National stock was \$1.00 per share, and the price of the old issue was \$0.80 per share. The market was also active in the bond market, with many new issues being introduced. The price of the new issue of the American National bond was \$1.00 per share, and the price of the old issue was \$0.80 per share.

## Lead, Zinc and Copper

Lead, zinc and copper prices were generally higher today than yesterday. The price of lead was \$0.10 per pound, the price of zinc was \$0.15 per pound, and the price of copper was \$0.20 per pound.

## Turpentine, Flax, Linseed

Turpentine, flax and linseed prices were generally higher today than yesterday. The price of turpentine was \$0.10 per gallon, the price of flax was \$0.15 per gallon, and the price of linseed was \$0.20 per gallon.

## New York Coffee

New York coffee prices were generally higher today than yesterday. The price of coffee was \$0.10 per pound, the price of sugar was \$0.15 per pound, and the price of cotton was \$0.20 per pound.

## New York Cotton

New York cotton prices were generally higher today than yesterday. The price of cotton was \$0.10 per pound, the price of sugar was \$0.15 per pound, and the price of cotton was \$0.20 per pound.

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New York gold prices were generally higher today than yesterday. The price of gold was \$0.10 per ounce, the price of silver was \$0.15 per ounce, and the price of copper was \$0.20 per ounce.

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## New York Coal

New York coal prices were generally higher today than yesterday. The price of coal was \$0.10 per ton, the price of sugar was \$0.15 per ton, and the price of cotton was \$0.20 per ton.

## New York Lumber

New York lumber prices were generally higher today than yesterday. The price of lumber was \$0.10 per board foot, the price of sugar was \$0.15 per board foot, and the price of cotton was \$0.20 per board foot.

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New York wheat prices were generally higher today than yesterday. The price of wheat was \$0.10 per bushel, the price of sugar was \$0.15 per bushel, and the price of cotton was \$0.20 per bushel.

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## New York Peas

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## New York Potatoes

New York potato prices were generally higher today than yesterday. The price of potatoes was \$0.10 per bushel, the price of sugar was \$0.15 per bushel, and the price of cotton was \$0.20 per bushel.

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NEW HIGHS

Speculative Shares Up Despite Call Money Firmness and Some Selling in Oils—Bonds Dull and Irregular.

By Leased Wire from the New York Post of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The Evening Post in its copyrighted financial review today says:

"Despite continued firmness of call money rates and some selling in the oil stocks, the price of speculative shares was again higher today. Trading in the stock market was fairly active, considering the firmness in money and the irregularity of the call money rate."

"Call money rates were advanced to 4 1/2 per cent, following the same course as yesterday. The same course was followed in the bond market, with some selling and irregularity. Government bonds were inclined to rise, although some were sold, and a few foreign bonds were held steady, while utilities were in good demand."

"Pool Operations in Bonds. Several of the old-time favorites of pool operators were again off the market today, and the price of public was shown to be a factor in the market. In many instances, the price of public was shown to be a factor in the market."

"Advances in Motor Stocks. A sharp advance in motor stocks was seen today, with prices generally higher than yesterday. The price of motor stocks was shown to be a factor in the market."

"Foreign Exchange Irregular. Fluctuations in the foreign exchange market were irregular today, with prices generally higher than yesterday. The price of foreign exchange was shown to be a factor in the market."

"Bond Market Review. The bond market was generally higher today than yesterday, with prices generally higher than yesterday. The price of bonds was shown to be a factor in the market."

"Boston Stock Market. The Boston stock market was generally higher today than yesterday, with prices generally higher than yesterday. The price of Boston stock was shown to be a factor in the market."

"New Orleans Spot. The New Orleans spot market was generally higher today than yesterday, with prices generally higher than yesterday. The price of New Orleans spot was shown to be a factor in the market."

## NEW YORK STOCKS (COMPLETE)

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Total sales on the New York Stock Exchange today were 1,498,600 shares, compared with 1,221,300 yesterday, 2,056,600 a week ago and 1,002,000 a year ago. Total sales from Jan. 1 to date were 240,402,900 shares, compared with 142,074,000 a year ago and 151,814,000 two years ago.

Following is the complete list of individual sales in 100-share lots (omit) on the Stock Exchange, with the high, low and closing prices and the net change for the day. Symbols: (a) Plus extras, (b) including extras, (c) Payable in preferred stock, (d) Partly stock, (e) 5 per cent in special stock. \*Increase, —Decrease. ...Unchanged. †Ex-dividend.

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## NEW YORK CURB MARKET

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Following is a list of sales, highest, lowest, closing and previous closing prices of securities traded in on the New York Curb Exchange today, sales of stocks being in 100-share lots (omit) or fractions thereof, except in Standard Oil shares, sales of which are in full, while bond sales are in \$1000 lots (omit).

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**TENNIS STAR WANTED IN DES MOINES FOR SPEEDING**  
Brian Norton Failed to Answer Summons Before Leaving City, Police Say.  
DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 4.—

**Conrad's Downtown Specialty Food Store**  
Delicacies—Meat Bakery—Fruit—Grocery  
EIGHTH & LOCUST

**Wednesday Specials**  
**Sirloin Steak**  
Also Tenderloin on hand, a very special Wednesday price for quality meat, any size steak, with the pound... **29 1/2c**  
**Deviled Crabs**  
In the shell, cooked and seasoned, all ready to eat, 3 for 20c... **20c**  
**Swiss Gruyere**  
A very fine grade of imported Swiss Cheese, no rind or waste, L'Alphon brand, box... **39c**  
**Orange Rolls**  
Pine Coffee Cake Rolls enriched with orange filling, dozen... **30c**  
**Conrad's Gluten Bread**  
If on a diet eat Conrad's Gluten Bread, doctors recommend it, especially if you want to reduce your weight, fresh daily, loaf... **30c**

*You'll like it too!*  
**H&K COFFEE**  
*of course*

**Circle Tours**

Historic Boston  
Wonderful Niagara Falls  
Fascinating New York  
Beautiful Washington  
Sea Voyage New York or Boston to Norfolk

**Combining Rail, Lake and Ocean Trips**

This summer take a trip through the East. See Niagara Falls—go down the St. Lawrence to Montreal. Visit historic old Boston, the New England seashore and the quaint old fishing towns. You'll marvel at the beauties of the Adirondacks, Green Mountains, White Mountains and the Berkshires. Visit Lake Champlain and Lake George. Go up into the State of Maine. The Hudson River trip, New York with its wonders and theaters, Washington—a steamer trip from Boston or New York to Norfolk if you choose—all will bring you new thrills. There are so many attractive routes with stopover privileges at any point.

Tickets on sale to Sept. 30th, return limit 60 days; final limit Oct. 31st.

Round Trip Fares  
St. Louis to New York or Boston  
\$72.32 to \$97.90

For booklet and complete information call or address City Ticket Office, 310 N. Broadway, phone Main 4260, Olive 7885, 7886, or Union Station, phone Main 4706. R. C. Kennedy, A. G. P. A., 437 Boatmen's Bank Bldg.

**BIG FOUR ROUTE**

*More Than a*  
**HUNDRED WANT ADS OMITTED**

More than a hundred Want Ads were omitted from the Big Sunday Post-Dispatch because they failed to reach this office before closing time.

Avoid disappointment and assure the appearance of your Want Ad in the Big Sunday Post-Dispatch by having it reach this office by telephone, mail, or delivery, EARLY in the week.

**POST-DISPATCH**  
St. Louis' One Big Want Ad Directory

**HUSBAND OF WOMAN FOUND SLAIN FREED**

County Prosecutor Says There Is No Evidence Against George Lenhardt.

George Lenhardt, named accessory by a coroner's jury yesterday in the murder of his wife, Sadie Lenhardt, whose body was found Saturday in a ravine near the Lenhardt home in Oakville, St. Louis County, was released from custody at 5 p. m. yesterday.

Prosecuting Attorney Mueller declared there was no evidence against Lenhardt. He explained that a man could not be held as an accessory when no principal had been named for the crime.

Mrs. Lenhardt was shot in the right temple. She was 33 years old and during her five years of married life had had violent quarrels with Lenhardt, who is also 33. Lenhardt denied any knowledge of her death and gave an account of his movements on last Saturday afternoon to bear out his statement that he is innocent.

**NATIONAL CRIME DRIVE PLANS Committee Decides to Ask E. H. Gary to Head Commission.**  
NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The second step in forming a national crime commission was taken yesterday when two of the men present at the first meeting in Elbert H. Gary's offices met with Franklin D. Roosevelt and decided to ask Gary to become chairman of the commission.

P. Trubee Davidson, State Senator from Nassau County, and Mark O. Prentiss, former chairman of the United States Clearing House of Foreign Debts and special representative for Near East Relief in Turkey, concurred with Roosevelt in asking Gary to serve.

Prentiss made suggestions for the campaign, based on his observations when he accompanied Richard Washburn Child, former Ambassador to Italy, on his recent crime survey in New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

**SYNTHETIC WOOD ALCOHOL Experiments in Germany to Produce Effective Mixture for Motors.**  
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BERLIN, Aug. 4.—The Mercedes-Daimler Automobile Co. and the Badische Anilin and Soda Works are experimenting to find an effective mixture of synthetic methyl or wood alcohol with benzol, which is carbureted hydrogen. Researches up to date encourage the experimenters to hope that a satisfactory combination will eventually be found. It is said the process, if successful, would reduce the price of gasoline.

The process for making synthetic wood alcohol enables so much cheaper production than the old process of distillation that thousands of barrels have been sold in America in the last year and big capital has been invested in it.

**DENY GERMAN CANCER CLAIM Gye and Barnard Say They Did not Appropriate Discovery.**  
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LONDON, Aug. 4.—Both Dr. E. W. Gye and J. E. Barnard, British investigators who recently announced the discovery of a cancer germ, denied emphatically today the German charge that they have appropriated a discovery previously made by Prof. Franz Kossel.

"Both Barnard and I," Gye said, "are completely ignorant of any work of the professor. We do not know what he has done, and we have never read anything written by him. The subject is much too serious for it to be a personal affair and we would have been only too pleased to acknowledge any help we might have received. If the Germans publish their results and substantiate their claim, we will be quite prepared to acknowledge it."

**BOY, 8, KICKED BY HORSE**  
Laid Fugger at Traces of Team Sprinkling Wagon Driver Says.  
Gustave Konik, 8-year-old son of Martin Konik, 1869A South Eleventh street, suffered internal injuries and lacerations of the head and body at 3:15 p. m. yesterday, when he was kicked by a horse pulling a sprinkling wagon in South Eleventh street near his home.

Fred Michel, 1938 Sidney street, driver of the sprinkler, told police the boy ran into the street and began pulling at the traces of the team. Michel warned him, he said, but the boy took no heed.

**Rumania Fixes Tax on Oil Exports.**  
BUCHAREST, Rumania, Aug. 4.—Following upon the recent decision made by the Rumanian Cabinet to lift the ban on exports of fuel oil, the Government has issued permits to refiners to export 50,000 metric tons, the export tax was fixed at 100 lei per ton, while the export tax on gas oil has been reduced from 400 to 200 lei per ton. (The value of the lei under the present exchange is about 1 cent.) Rumania exports of refined products may aggregate 70,000 tons this month, the largest amount exported during any month since the end of the war.

**Held Up With a Flask "Pistol."**  
While walking along Seventh street, near Carr street, last night, Jacob C. Miller of 2022 Wash street was halted by three negroes and a white man. The latter, he said, thrust something forward,

which appeared to be a pistol. The victim surrendered \$21.61 and a cake he was carrying home. As the robbers ran, the leader crashed his "pistol" to the sidewalk. It proved to be an empty whisky flask.

**Quick Safe Relief CORNS**  
In one minute—or less—the pain ends. Dr. Scholl's Zino-pads is the safe, sure, healing treatment for corns. At drug and shoe stores.  
**Dr. Scholl's Zino-pads**  
Put one on—the pain is gone

**ADVERTISEMENT Explains How Enlarged Veins Can Be Reduced**  
Often Times Veins Burst and Cause Much Suffering, Expense and Loss of Employment.

Many people have become despondent because they have been led to believe that there is no remedy that will reduce swollen veins and burs.

If you will get a two-ounce bottle of Moore's Emerald Oil (full strength) at any first-class drug store and apply it at home as directed you will quickly notice an improvement which will continue until the veins and burs are reduced to normal.

Moore's Emerald Oil has brought much comfort to worried people all over the country; it is one of the wonderful discoveries of recent years and anyone who is disappointed with its use can have their money refunded. Wolfe-Wilson Drug Co., Letter Drug Co. and Johnson Bros. Drug Co. sell lots of it.

**ADVERTISEMENT LEMON JUICE BEST TO WHITEN SKIN**

The only harmless way to bleach the skin white is to mix the juice of two lemons with three ounces of Orchard White, which any druggist will supply for a few cents. Shake well in a bottle, and you have a whole quart of the most wonderful skin whitener, softener and beautifier.

Massage this sweetly fragrant lemon bleach into the face, neck, arms and hands. It cannot irritate. Famous stage beauties use it to bring that clear, youthful skin and rosy white complexion; also as a freckle, sunburn and tan bleach. You must mix this remarkable lotion yourself. It cannot be bought ready to use because it acts best immediately after it is prepared.

**USE CANTHROX Shampoo AFTER THE SWIM**

Sunshine is an excellent tonic for the scalp, but it should not fall directly on the hair until the dampness is gone.

And in washing the hair you should be very careful about the cleansing preparation you use.

Beauty experts agree a cleanser made for all purposes will not do. You need one specially prepared for shampooing. Often the simplest preparation—one you can make yourself—such as a teaspoonful of canthrox dissolved in a cup of hot water, is the best. Dandruff, excess oil and dirt are dissolved and entirely disappear and lustrous, fluffy, beautiful hair results.

You can get canthrox at practically any good drug store.—Advertisement.

**WHY GET SICK? Vegetable Remedy TABLETS MEANS HEALTH INSURANCE AT ALL DRUG & GROCERY STORES**

**RUPTURED?**  
Don't Throw Away Another Dollar on Old-Style Trusses! Use "Vegetable Remedy" treatment for Rupture that automatically closes the opening at once, giving instant relief.  
If you have tried most everything else without getting results, come to us. Thousands of references in and around St. Louis prove our method. Let us show you how we cure RUPTURE in a few weeks without knife or pain.  
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**Peterman's Ant Food Kills Ants**  
PETERMAN'S ROACH FOOD Kills roaches and water bugs  
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**PETERMAN'S DID IT**

**More Pleasing Offerings In May, Stern's August Sale**

A SALE of national importance is May-Stern's August Sale. Everywhere throughout the United States, wherever there is one of the May-Stern associate stores, this great event is in progress. No wonder, then, with such a vast buying power, that prices are lower than ever before in our 41 years of business. A visit to our store will prove to you the value of buying home furnishings during May-Stern's August Sale.

**A Beautiful Five-Piece Breakfast Suite**  
Of Solid Oak, in New Italian Gray Finish and Two-Tone Effect  
An Actual \$69.50 Value  
**\$48.85**  
Terms—\$4.00 a Month  
REALLY a most remarkable value. Here is a breakfast Suite that could do duty in the dining room. Note the illustration of these 5 beautiful pieces. The four chairs are sturdy, yet distinctive in design. The table will extend to 6 feet and is so constructed that the extra leaves fit beneath the top. The entire Suite is of solid oak in the new Italian gray finish and two-tone effect. A \$69.50 value offered special for May-Stern's August Sale at \$48.85 on terms of \$4.00 a month.

**Special Tomorrow Only**  
**Velvet Rugs**  
Size 27x54 Inches  
AN exceptional value—sold regularly at \$2.95—special for May-Stern's August Sale, Wednesday only.  
**\$1.65**

**Art Lamps**  
An \$8.50 Value  
**\$3.99**  
LIKE cut, 21 inches high. 14-inch pleated silk shades in rose, blue or gold. Japanese pottery base in rich colorings. Complete with 6 feet of cord.

**All-Metal Day-Bed**  
Regular \$18.50 Value  
A COUCH by day and a full-sized bed at night. Made of metal throughout in walnut finish and equipped with good link fabric springs. An extraordinary value at May, Stern's August Sale.  
**\$10.75**

**Music Roll Cabinet**  
**\$23.75**  
NEEDED in every home where there is a player-piano. Large size, holds 90 rolls; has glass door in ornamental grill effect and is finished like a piano. An actual \$30 value. Special in May-Stern's August Sale.

**Kitchen Cabinets**  
Low Priced  
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**Genuine Cork Linoleum Rugs**  
A FULL 9x12-foot size, with handsome border designs. A wonderful Rug at a lower price than you ever expected to pay. Genuine cork linoleum Rugs that will give a world of service. Shown in eight colorful and attractive patterns. A regular \$24 value, special for May, Stern's August Sale.  
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**Fiction and Women's Feature**  
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—Kadel & Herbert

## FRENCH MOVE WOUNDED BY AIRPLANE



Soldiers operating against the Riffs in Morocco are carried from the battle lines to Fez in special hospital planes.

—Wide World Photo

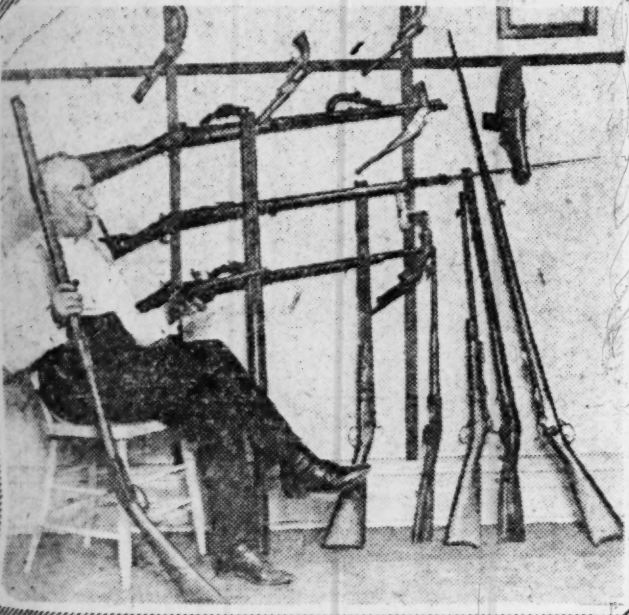
## ENGLISH RIDING HABIT



The latest for women horsemen seen during the big agricultural show in England

—G. Henry Miller

## COLLECTS OLD FIREARMS



Rozier G. Meigs, St. Louis attorney, with part of his collection gathered over a period of 30 years. The rifle Meigs is holding is said to have belonged to Daniel Boone, while the weapon in his left hand is a pistol of the Revolutionary War period.

## SUMMER RAIN FLOODS MOSCOW



Transportation under difficulties in the center of the Russian city. Forty minutes of rain on July 13 converted the Noglinny Proyesd into a lake.

—Wide World Photo

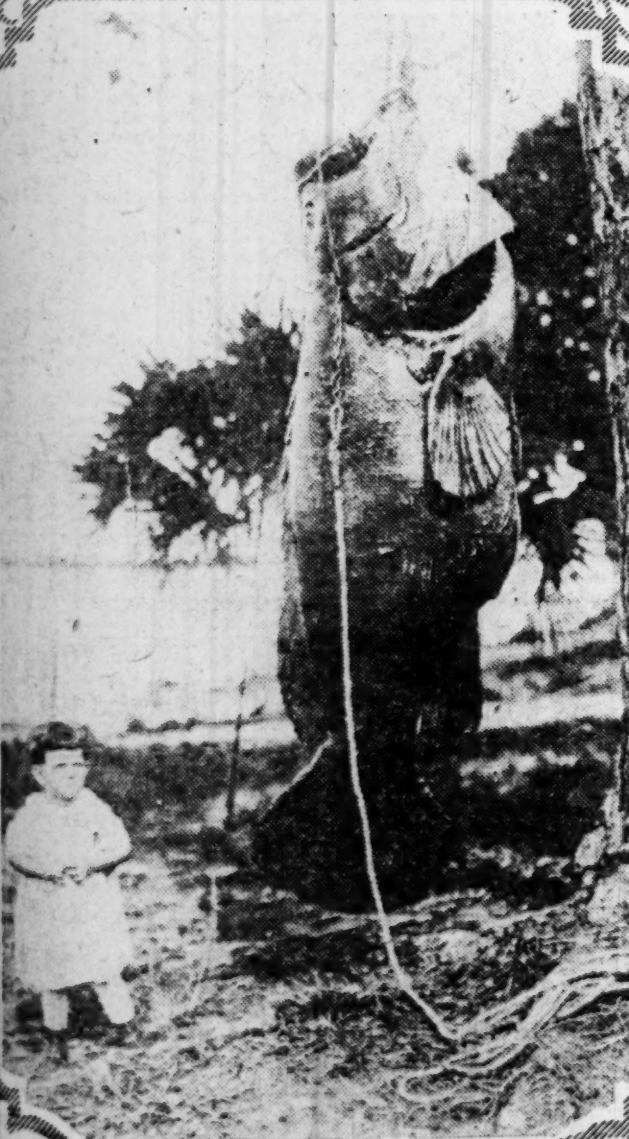
## CURZON WEDDING



Photo taken after the ceremony of the wedding of Lady Alexandra Curzon to Major E. D. Metcalfe at the Chapel Royal, St. James, London.

—G. Kerstone View Co.

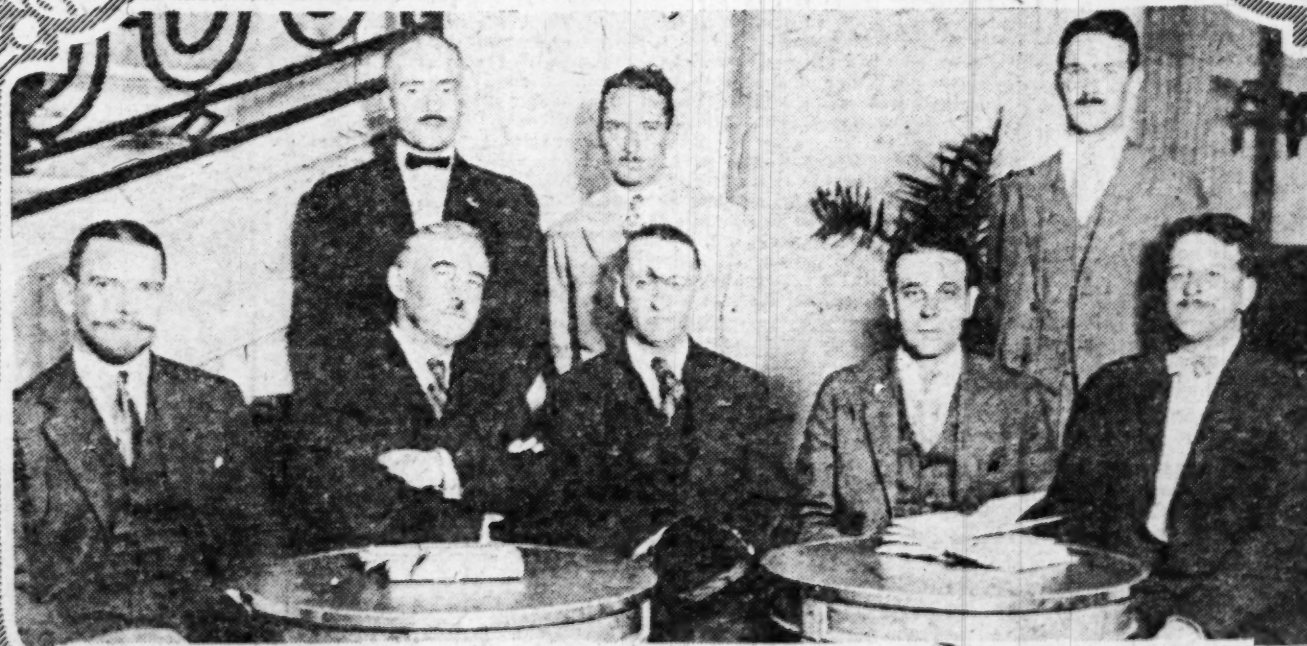
## SOME FISH



Leo Baker caught this 450-pound jewfish at New Smyrna, Fla.

—Kadel & Herbert

## AMERICAN AVIATORS FOR MOROCCO



The American aviators who have volunteered to aid France in Morocco were tendered a luncheon at the Inter Allied Club in Paris before their departure for the front. The seven are shown in this group, left to right, seated, are Capt. R. H. Weller, Col. Edmund V. Gros, who is not going, Col. Sweeney, Lieutenant-Colonel Parker and Lieutenant-Colonel Kerwood. Standing: Major Pollock, Capt. Graham Bullen and Capt. L. C. Holden.

—Wide World Photo

## WINS IN STOCKING FEET



Miss Elizabeth Ryan as she received cup after defeating Helen Wills of California in straight sets in the final women's singles match of the Seabright Tennis Tournament. The ground was soft and soggy, and when this hindered Miss Ryan she took off her shoes and played in her stocking feet.

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the furnishings during May.



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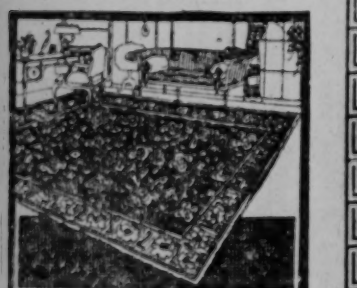
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# LOVE

CHAPTER 37.

H E wondered where the golf links were; he wondered whether, if he went to them, he might by some lucky chance find a man he knew.

Catherine didn't play golf and he didn't want her to. He wanted for a bit to be with a man, to talk about with a man, and not say anything, except, if it were necessary, swear, and know all the while that he was going back to her, going back, amazingly, to his own wife. Or he would like to run down to the sea and swim a long way, and then dry himself in the sun, and then go off for a quick, striding walk up the cliffs behind the house, out into the open where the wind blew fresh and jolly little larks sang. Catherine didn't swim and couldn't walk like that, and he didn't want her to; he wanted to go off alone, so as to have the joy of coming back, amazingly, to his own wife.

He went indoors and upstairs to look in at her and see if she were awake, so that he might tell her he thought of going for a quick run somewhere. But when he softly opened the door and crept into the room and found her still asleep, he couldn't resist kneeling down by the bed and kissing her; whereupon she opened her eyes and smiled so fearfully sweetly at him that he said his arm around her, and they began, his face on the pillow beside her, whispering again.

He went nowhere that day. In the afternoon they lay about together in the field and read poetry. She asked him to. The desire for silent meditation was stronger upon him by this time than ever, and he didn't want just then to read poetry.

She instantly noticed that he was reading it differently from the way he had read it on the other days, reading it—but how could this be when he was so fond of it?—almost reluctantly.

"Is anything the matter, Chris?" she asked, bending her face anxiously over his book.

"He took it in his two hands: 'I love you,' he said."

How tired she looked. He was struck by it, but there in the afternoon light, as he held her face in his hands.

Life became attentive and anxious. "Aren't you well, my darling?" he asked, still holding her face.

"Yes, quite. Why?" she answered, wondering. Then answered rather quickly, drawing back. "Do I look tired?"

"You're so pale."

"I don't feel pale," she said, turning her head away so that he could see only her profile.

She tried to laugh, but she discovered she found it unpleasant to be asked by Christopher if she didn't feel well. It meant she must be looking worn; and passionately she didn't want to look worn—not now, not on her honeymoon, not married to Christopher, not ever. A most undesirable thing to look and to be avoided by every means in her power.

"I don't feel pale at all," she said again, trying to laugh and keeping her face turned away from him and the bright sunlight. "Inside, anyhow, I feel all rosy."

She jumped up. "Let's go for a walk, Chris, darling," she said, shaking the butterflies from her hair and looking at him with a smile.

"We haven't been for a real good long walk since we got here."

"Are you sure you're not too tired?" he asked, getting up, too.

"Tired?" she asked, getting up, too.

"And to show him what she could do, she started off at a great pace and climbed over the five-barred gate into the road before he could reach her."

But she was tired; and though the quick walk and climb made her hot and hid her paleness, when she was in her room getting ready for the evening meal and the heat had faded out of her cheeks, she was startled by her face. Why, she looked ghastly. Her face seemed to be drooping with fatigue. The corners of her mouth were pitiful with it, her eyes appeared sunk in black shadows. And how white she was. She stared at herself aghast; and a recollection of those pleasant bus conductors and taxi men came into her mind, all smiling at her and calling her Miss as lately as a week ago, and of her own image in the glass at that time when, radiant with the cool happiness of not being in love, with the peace of gratified vanity at having somebody extraordinarily in love with her, while she herself loved him quite enough but not too much, she might have been and was so easily taken for really young.

Really young . . . ah, what a lovely thing to be . . . married to Christopher and really young.

The lamp in the cottage was like all lamps in cottages, and unpleasantly glared. There was only one, and that one was now in the living room, and at meals stood on the table, and it had a white glass shade, and who older than 23 could expect to stand long from a lamp with a white glass shade after a long, hot, hilly walk? Even in her bedroom, lit up only by two hesitating candle flames, she looked worn out, so what would she look like down there, faced by Christopher's searching eyes and that intolerable lamp?



BY THE AUTHOR OF ELIZABETH AND HER GERMAN GARDEN

It was as she had feared, and he did stare at her—at first with open concern and questioning, and afterwards furiously, for she couldn't help showing she shrank from having her fatigue noticed. At the beginning of their acquaintance she used to laugh when he told her she looked tired, and say she wasn't tired a bit, and it was merely age made her seem so; she was perfectly frank and natural about it; she didn't in the least care. Now she couldn't laugh, she found she couldn't bring herself to say, with the gay indifference, the take-me-as-I-am-or-leave-me attitude that was hers at the beginning, a word about age.

She hurried through the meal, and got up before he had finished, and went and stood at the open window, looking at the stars.

"What is it, my darling?" asked Christopher anxiously, pushing away his plate and coming after her.

"It's such a lovely night. Let's put out that stupid lamp, and then we can see the stars."

"But then we shan't see each other."

"Do we want to?"

"That was true; why see, when you can feel."

They put out the lamp, and sat at the open window smelling the sweet night air, full of scents of damp grass and the sea, and he forgot his fears, for in the dark she seemed quite well again, and he talked sweetly to her, his arms around her, her head upon his breast, of their happiness and their love, and the perfect life they were going to have together for the rest of their days; and she listened, pressing close to him, painfully adoring him, shutting her mind against the remembrance of that face in the glass, of that frightening face, of that face as it would be every day soon when she was a little older, as it would be now already, as it was over-tired, or nervous, or the least thing happened to worry her. Only she wouldn't be over-tired or nervous; and as for things happening to worry her, what could do that in this haven of safety she had got into with Christopher? And she would take the utmost care of herself, now that she was so precious to somebody so dear, and see to it that she kept well and strong; and nerves after all had never in her life yet afflicted her—her utmost sunny tranquillity of mind and body had been hers always; why should she even think of such things? The idea must have got into her head because of the funny feeling she had had that day, the fourth of her happiness, of being on wires. She had been jumpy. The smallest noise or sudden movement made her start. And her body had a queer kind of tingling sensation in it, an uncomfortable sensation of being exposed, raw at the surface; and her skin felt sensitive, as though it were all rubbed the wrong way; and besides, quite without any reason that she could discover, she had had several times that afternoon to cry.

She shook herself. Silly thoughts. All imagination. Here was Christopher, so real, dear, and close.

She put her arm round his neck and pulled herself up a little higher, and laid her cheek against his. "I didn't know one could be so happy," she said, clinging to him.

"My darling love," he said, holding her tight.

They began to whisper.

But though night is good, and stars are good, and sweet communion is very good with one's beloved lying hot and warm in one's arms, day also is good, and the stir and zest of it, and men's voices, and the wind along the beach.

Such were Christopher's conclusions when he had been married a week. He went, on the same afternoon, to the first weekly anniversary of his wedding day, smoking and gazing at the field of buttercups that so gorgeously embroidered the edges of the sea, and reflected that you have to

have both—the blissful night, the active day—so as completely to appreciate either. That is, if your life is to be as near perfect as possible. And why shouldn't his life be as near perfect as possible? It had all the necessary ingredients—youth, health, and Catherine. Only, for a day to be happy it must not be too much like the night; there must be a contrast, and there must be a complete contrast. In the days and nights of the last week there had been hardly any contrast, and wasn't contrast in life as indispensable as salt in cooking? Bliss there had been, bliss in quantities, wonderful quantities; wild bliss again, then quiet bliss, but always bliss. He adored Catherine. Life was marvelous. On that fine May morning he was certain he was the happiest human being in the island, for nobody could possibly be as happy, for nobody else had Catherine; but he wished that that day—well, what did he wish that day? It wasn't possible that he wanted to be away from Catherine, yet he did want to—for a few hours, for a little while; why, if only to have the joy of coming back to her. He was conscious, and the consciousness surprised him, that he didn't want to kiss her for a bit. No, he didn't. And fancy not wanting to, when a month ago he would have sold everything he had, including his soul, to be allowed to! That, came, thought Christopher, narrowing his eyes to watch a white sail out at sea bending in the wind—Jove, how jolly it looked, scudding along like that—of not having Catherine. There had to be interruption, pause, the mind switched off on to something else. How could one ever know the joy of coming back if one didn't first go?

He wanted to go that day, to go by himself, to do things as he couldn't do, and then come back all new to her again. He wanted to tramp miles in the wind he knew was blowing gloriously between their sheltering cliffs—look how that yacht cut through the sea—up into the open country where the larks were singing; miles and miles he wanted to tramp in the sun, and stretch all his slack muscles, and get into an almighty sweat, and drink great draughts of beer, and rid himself of this sort of sickly languor that was laying hold of him. He couldn't spend another day just sitting about or strolling round; he must be up and doing.

Catherine wasn't able to come with him and he didn't want her to. She said the spring always made her lazy at first till she got used to it. She certainly wasn't able to walk as she had walked with him before her marriage, and was very evidently so tired, and sometimes looked so extraordinarily tired that it frightened him.

(To Be Continued.)

## Philosophical Phrasings

That man lives twice who lives the first life well.—Herrick.

Riches have wings and grandeur is a dream.—Cowper.

Pity melts the mind to love.—Dryden.

A good library is a statesman's workshop.—Randolph.

## What to Serve Tomorrow

### BREAKFAST.

Orange juice.  
Cereal.  
Poached egg on toast.  
Cold meat.  
Toast.  
Coffee, cocoa, milk.

### LUNCHEON.

Pimiento cheese sandwich.  
Angel cake.  
Coffee, tea, milk.

### DINNER.

Roast veal with vegetables.  
Beet, egg, pickle salad.  
Peach pie.  
Coffee, tea, milk.

### Angel Cake.

Whites of 11 eggs.  
Pinch of salt.  
One level teaspoon cream of tartar.

One cup of flour measured after sifting.

One and one-half cups sugar sifted with flour 5 or 6 times.

Teaspoon almond or vanilla extract or ½ teaspoon of each.

Beat whites foamy, add salt. Beat stiff, add cream of tartar. Beat a little longer, add flour and sugar slowly, then extract, folding all in. Pour in a pan that has never been greased. Cook in slow oven 40 minutes.

### Roast Veal.

Roast veal in a pan with some sliced onions and carrots. Put a piece of bread in the pan and it will cook to pieces and thicken the gravy. Small pared potatoes baked with the meat in the same pan make a good vegetable to serve with veal. Both should be baked every few minutes.

## THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaelis

### OLD BONDS.

YOU who are walking the wide world's way, far from the scenes of old, as you go threading the endless maze what does your dreaming hold? Every man treasures some fair dream still out of the days gone by: mine brings me back an old house on a hill under a wind-swept sky. Little low house on a sunbaked crest, rice and the rice-bird's song, pungent scents from the earth's damp breast, wide canals winding along. Over the slope of the coastal plain rise like a garment green gloves in the fields of my dreams again, touched with an emerald sheen. Little of loveliness some might find, here, where the sea winds blow; but the old loves clasp me and old ties bind, out of the long ago.

## Child Management

By DR. D. A. THOM.

Issued to the Post-Dispatch by the Children's Bureau of the U. S. Department of Labor.

### No. 6—Feeding.

ONE of the most common mistakes the mother makes is brought about by her preconceived notions that every child requires the same amount of food and that every child must necessarily eat every meal. With this idea in mind she becomes fretful and emotionally upset if the child fails to meet her standards. Notwithstanding the fact that the state of nutrition is one of the most important indicators of the child's well-being, it does not hold true that all children require the same amount of food, or that any particular hour will follow if they miss a meal or two. It is frequently this undue anxiety on the part of the parent that tends to make the meal hour an event rather than a given in the daily life of the child.

This is seen clearly in the case of a bright little girl of 6. Her mother died of tuberculosis, and the father is haunted by a fear of the child's having contracted the disease. His one desire is to see her fat and rosy. Three large meals a day are forced upon this child by an overwrought father who in his anxiety creates such a tense atmosphere in the home that Sally loses all appetite or bolts her food in her fear of the wrath to come, or, in a different mood, waits to be coaxed and bribed to swallow a single mouthful. Instead of being a simple routine, mealtime offers an opportunity which the child seizes and grasps for staging a little drama in which she is the principal figure, the object of solicitude and concern. The meal itself has lost importance and all depends on the child's whims.

Who does not like to feel his own importance and power? Small Tommy, by eating or not eating, can pretty well control his parents and make them bow to his will. Mother herself may unconsciously defeat her own desire. She may start the meal by reminding Tommy that he did not eat his breakfast. There may follow a period of teasing and coaxing or threatening and bribing, all of which, if Tommy has a will of his own, may make him determined not to give way, or he may compromise and eat if mother will sit down to feed him, even though he can well perform this task for himself. Then the meal over, Tommy bears the whole situation reviewed to a neighbor who drops in to whom mother turns for sympathy. Most people like to be "unusual" or "different," and according to mother, Tommy is decidedly so. Is there any wonder he should strive to maintain the role?

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# The Man on the Sandbox

by L. Davis

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When Duster puts his stuff upon the ball. The enemy can very seldom hit it; That he's the greatest pitcher of them all. He doesn't have to prove for he'll admit it. And many heavy hitters we could mention. No doubt, will bear him out in his contention.

## THAT'S THE WAY!

The Cardinals put the Giants in the lead on Saturday, and then to

prove that everything was on the up and up, knocked them out of it on Sunday.

The results of the primary election in Kentucky indicate that the candidates will all run on a race-track ticket.

Tennessee for the human race and Kentucky for the horse race.

"HOW SOFT THE LUTE." See where they are not through looting the Night and Day Bank yet.

A shortage of 6,000,000 ladybugs is reported in the State of Washington. Indicating that a like number of gentleman bugs are in the market for soul-mates.

In view of the fact that his country uses so much rubber and produces none, couldn't Luther Burbank do something in the matter by grafting a rubber boot onto a shoe tree and evolve a rubber plant?

The situation might be eased by leaving some of the rubber out of the baseballs and directing it in other channels where it is more needed.

There is so much rubber in the balls now that it is a punk hitter who can't stretch an ordinary outfield fly into a home run.

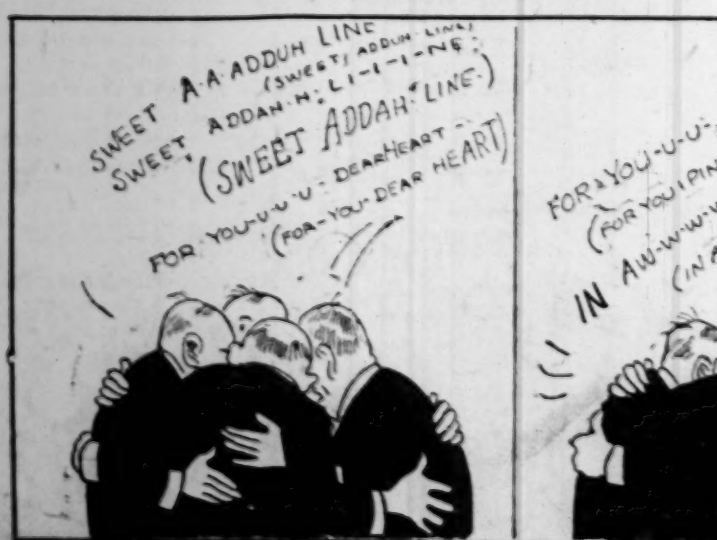
Messrs. Spalding, Reach et al to the contrary notwithstanding.

With the ball as at present constituted, earned runs are so easily earned that they are getting cheaper all the time.

## KRAZY KAT—By HERRIMAN



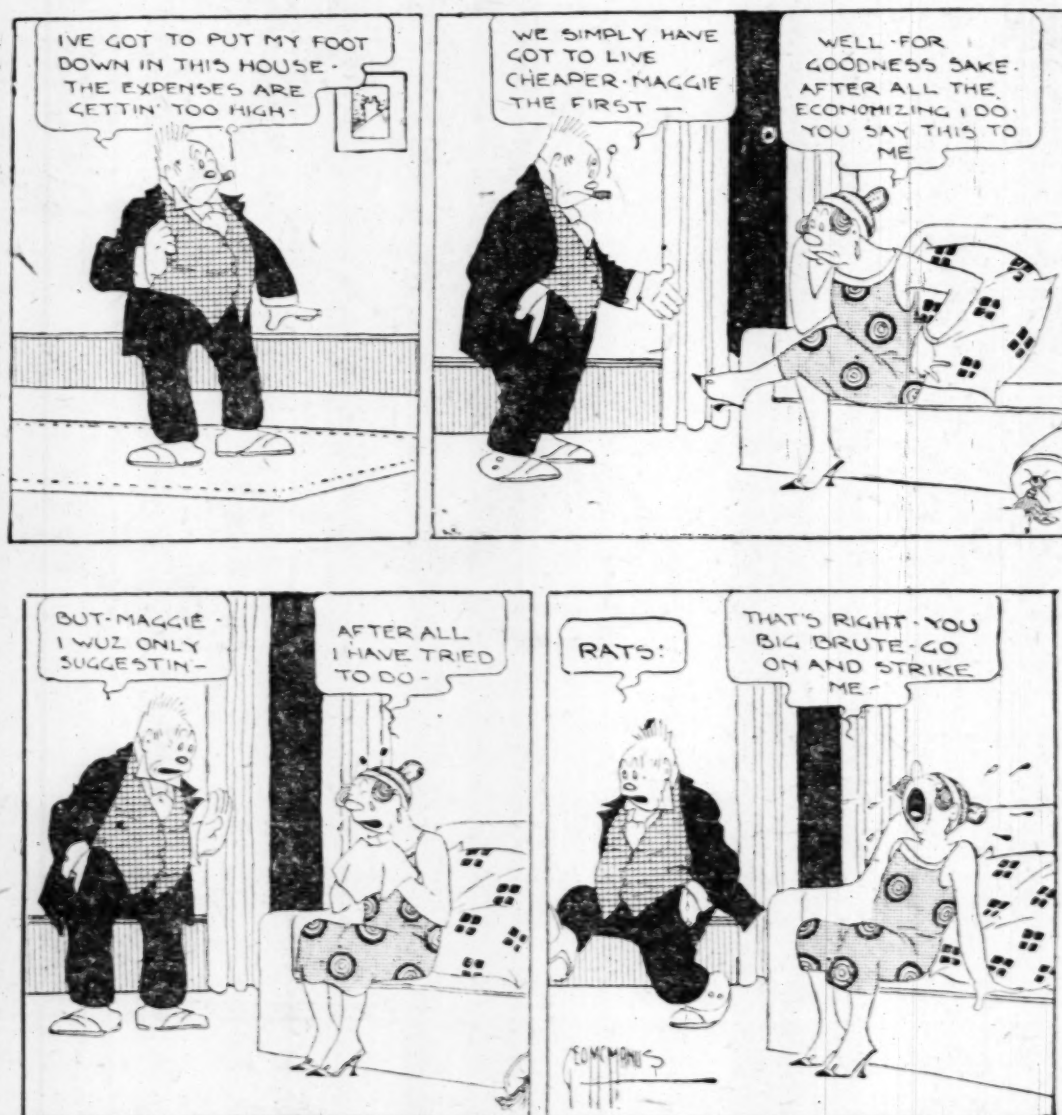
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## BEAUTY OF ITS SETTINGS MARKS FASHION PAGEANT

Style Show Finds Fitting Home in New Garden Theater—Capacity Crowd at Opening.

## LAGOON DOUBLES COLOR EFFECTS

Costuming Notable for Imagination of Design—Interludes Based on Motive of "The Weavers."

The St. Louis Fashion Pageant, transferred in its eleventh year from the Municipal Theater to the Garden Theater in University City, last night found awaiting it a welcome from a capacity house and a new home which fitted sympathetically and intimately into the mood of this exhibition.

Instead of the spacious system of runways used at the Forest Park auditorium, the models paraded from the stage up the aisles at either side and made their first passage across a platform directly in front of the boxes. Ascending from this they made a second transit along the concrete ramp which divides the amphitheater at its center.

Lagoon in Foreground. Following the Fashion Pageant's tradition at the Municipal Theater, the stage was screened between interludes by a pair of sliding curtains, and had as foreground a lagoon, in the reflection of which the figures and colors of the performance were redoubled. This lagoon was the orchestra pit during the performances of "Hansel and Gretel."

A symphony orchestra, directed by William A. Parson, was at the right of the stage, and at the left was a popular orchestra, the jazz measures of which recorded the music on their records. A chorus, during some of the episodes, stood in the left wing.

As is known to those familiar with the development of this organization, it was found advisable some years ago to provide entertainment specialties to fill the gaps during which the models changed their costumes. Under the direction of Joseph Solari, these interludes gradually assumed artistic significance, and served as a laboratory in which were worked out the principles of a new system of outdoor stagecraft. The Garden Theater was founded with the specific purpose of providing an arena in which the results of these experiments might be applied to works constantly esthetic, and this was accomplished in the productions of "Electra" and "Hansel and Gretel."

"The Weavers" is Modern. This year, for the first time, the intermittent entertainment features are shaped into an organic whole, as a motive, "The Weavers," which is thoroughly in consonance with the Fashion Pageant itself. Mr. Solari devised the series of episodes and wrote lyrics for the musical numbers. Mr. Parson composed many of the songs himself, and assembled music for the others from such composers as Wagner, Dvorak, Schostakovich, Gounod and Goldmark.

The curtain first parted upon one of those prepossessing cubic cubes which are characteristic of the Solari technique. It was a great hemisphere of realistic red-wood, of the painted surface of the photographer's globe—and upon it appeared the Three Fates, spinning "The Thread of Life." While the loom, singing from the wings, explained each incident, various characters from life—a mother with her child, a poet, musician, painter, monarch, beggar, symbolical figures of "Wealth," "Evil" and "Fate," together with the typical lovers, Romeo and Juliet—passed before the globe and received their allotted destinies. In the meantime the Garden Theater's superb equipment of lights, playing upon the foliage of the natural bower of the stage, transmuted it into a magic grotto, coruscating with delicate and rich-hued illumination.

Brilliance and Charm. There was but a small sense of distance when this episode was followed by the first procession of models. To a layman's eye, many of the trade costumes were of such brilliance and charm of design, and were by girls chosen so deftly and pickitly, as to provide a perfectly spectacle of their own. The second episode of the program proper was entitled "The Weaver" and it was devised by Irma Remond and Edwin Remond. From a great screen in the center of a forest, six butterflies came a superb creature of their own and they danced, weaving long